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Jones County Bartlett Pool Extension Try Is Begun

Drilling was expected to have started last week-end on the first extension try to the new Swastika production area 28 miles northwest of Hamlin, the North American Oil Consolidated No. 1 W. T. Rainwater Estate, 330 feet from the south and west lines of section 33 block 2 SP survey.

This well is on permit for 4,000 feet with rotary and located as a southeast offset to the Ungran & Frazier et al No. 1 Bartlett which gauged more than 500 barrels of oil per day from Swastika sand at a depth of 3,230-3,243 feet, the latter part of December Herald readers reported.

Locations for at least two additional extension tries have been made but will not be drilled before the completion of the North American well a report stated.

In the Hardy Field, the Great Lakes Carbon Corporation, a progressive producer, located on the northeast corner of the recently opened extension area about 10 miles south of Hamlin has located another north extension try and has been staked out.

This well the Great Lakes Carbon Corporation, No. 3 E. V. Hardwick, 2,710 feet from the north and 850 from the east lines of section 11 block 4 H&TC survey. Drilled to 3,737 feet after topping the Hardy sand at 3,650, completion is to be through casing perforations at 3,650, 3,660 feet.

A new location for the Great Lakes Carbon Corporation, No. 4 E. V. Hardwick, 933 feet north of the No. 2 or 2,393 feet from the south and 1,460 from the west line of the 300 acre Hardwick tract in section 11 block 4 H&TC survey. Permit was for 3,750 feet with rotary and drilling was to have started early this week.

About 15 miles southeast of Hamlin, test of the Palo Pinto at about 3,150 feet was due early this week on the Jones & Stasney et al No. 1 Hansen & Harrison, wildcat test 330 feet from the west and 2,079 from the north line of section 8 block 3 H&TC survey. No shows had been reported for the well above the Palo Pinto early this week.

On the north edge of the Pitzer Strawn pool about 22 miles south of Hamlin, drilling was resumed at 3,400 feet after a shutdown for weather on the V. C. Perini Jr. et al No. 1 John R. Collins, 467 feet from the south and 542 feet from the east line of lot 24 league 150 DeWitt County School Lands survey.

Before shutdown Hamlin people will recall the well gave recovery of 90 feet of free oil and some gas on a drillstem test of the Canyon from 3,292 to 3,400 feet. It was the same section which showed for large gas production in the Texas Company's deep discovery located to the northwest of this well.

About 11 miles southeast of Hamlin 330 feet from the west and south line of section 15 block 17 T&P survey, drilling was continuing below 1,800 feet on the project to the Strawn sand by Fain & McGaha et al No. 1 A. W. McCollum. This well is to go to 4,800 feet or production above that point.

In the Wimberly Field, about 15 miles southwest of Hamlin application for a special permit has been filed by Maracaibo Oil Exploration Corporation to drill the No. 4 W. C. Church an inside location located 330 feet from the north and east lines of lot 88 league 126 DeWitt County School Land survey. Application is for drilling through the regular field pay to 2,550 feet with rotary.

Located in the same general area 330 feet from the south and west lines of lot 86, completion through casing perforations was begun early this week on the North American Oil Consolidated Incorporated, No. 6 Mashburn Estate. Casing was cemented at 2,540 feet after several of the field tries had given good shows for production.

About 23 miles southeast of Hamlin operators have plugged and abandoned the Star Oil Company, No. 1 J. J. Steele with no shows reported to 3,005 feet. It was located 990 feet from the north and 330 feet from the east line of the north half of the southwest quarter of section 11 block 2 SP survey.

Bennett Of Hamlin Hatchery Speaks To Stamford Club

Gordon Bennett, manager of the Hamlin Hatchery, one of Texas' largest hatcheries, spoke at the Exchange Club at Stamford last Friday.

He stated that he was interested in the poultry business to help others as well as himself. And went on to say that people of this immediate area could copy what is being done elsewhere to profit from raising poultry.

He remarked that mass production of broilers by such well known chicken shack owners as Leslie's and Youngblood's is achieved in an unusual way. Instead of undertaking to grow the chicks themselves they place the chicks in the hands of individual growers at no cost, prescribe and furnish the diet and settle up for the growing costs when the chickens are returned. In this way the grower is enabled to operate without capital and the owner gets them to market.

Bennett continued that these boys not only served the chickens cooked at their roadside inns, but also shipped them to markets under their brand names. This, he said, could be accomplished in a similar manner for chicken growers of this country and instead of importers we could become shippers, what the production of our grain upon which to feed the poultry.

Bennett was a school teacher before becoming superintendent of the Hamlin Schools and later pursued the hatchery business as his profession.

Hamlin Lions Guest Of Aspermont Lions Next Tuesday Night

The noon luncheon of the local Lions Club has been suspended for next Tuesday, because most of the members and their wives plan to go to Aspermont as the guests of the Aspermont Lions at a banquet there Tuesday night.

Aspermont is making preparations to care for several hundred expected guests from Hamlin, Abilene, Anson, Stamford, Haskell, Spur and other nearby towns. Abilene will furnish the guest speaker and have chartered a bus for their trip to Aspermont. Hamlin and Anson are on the entertainment program.

Lion President I. R. Hutchinson of the local Lions announced that he expected almost a hundred percent attendance from the Hamlin club.

Speaker for the commencement exercises was Adolphus D. Moore, of Houston president of the college's Ex-Student Association.

Joan and Bill Harbert were visiting in Hamlin last week-end.

Proclamation
By the Mayor of Hamlin

WHEREAS, February 8, 1948 is the 38th anniversary of the founding of the Boy Scouts of America which has been chartered by the Congress of the United States, and

WHEREAS, the Scout Program has affected the lives of 14,000,000 American boys and men since its inception and now has an active enrollment of more than 2,000,000, and

WHEREAS, the skills and experiences acquired through Scouting are great influences for building young Americans into men and participating citizens, thus making an incalculable contribution to the civic enterprise of this and countless other communities, and

WHEREAS, the Boy Scout Movement is a great factor for the promotion of World Peace, and marks this anniversary with the theme, "The Scout Citizen at Work... in his home... in his community... in his nation... in his World," with practical assistance to brother Boy Scouts overseas to rebuild their organizations;

NOW THEREFORE, I, Holly Toler, Mayor of the City of Hamlin in the State of Texas, do hereby proclaim the week of February 6th to 12th as Boy Scout Week and urge our citizens to recognize the unselfish service of Scout leaders, and to do all in their power to help promote this fine program among our youth.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF I have hereunto signed my name officially and caused the Seal of the City of Hamlin to be affixed, this third day of February, 1948.—Signed Holly Toler, Mayor.

Jones County Vocational School Debt Free, With Yearly Income Of \$225,000 And An Enrollment Of 180 Veterans

The Jones County Vocational School for Veterans has paid \$750 to the Hamlin Chamber of Commerce and \$250 to the Junior Chamber of Commerce of Hamlin, representing a loan obtained by the school when it was established in September 1946, according to James W. Love, co-ordinator of the school. An additional loan of \$2,000 has been paid at Anson and Stamford, according to Love, which cleared the total indebtedness of the school.

The school started with three agricultural classes and one distributive education, with a starting enrollment of 50 veterans. It now has an enrollment of 180 veterans with five classes in vocational agriculture, two of distributive education, one auto mechanics located in Hamlin, and one of carpenters and cabinet makers, located in Stamford. The school has a yearly income of \$225,000.

Plans are underway to build a farm shop and classroom building in Hamlin, and organize in distributive education.

Mr. Love expressed his personal appropriations to the citizens of Hamlin and Jones county in general for the splendid cooperation.

Reynard Brown Gets Degree At NTST

Reynard Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Brown of Hamlin was among 169 students awarded degrees in a winter commencement exercises at North Texas State College, Denton held last Thursday, January 29 so a report to the Herald from a college source revealed this week.

Brown received the bachelor of arts degree with a major in music. While attending North Texas State College he was a member of Phi Mu Alpha and the Gammadions.

The college gave 142 bachelor's degrees and 27 master's in the exercises. Bachelor's degrees awarded included 87 bachelor of science, 22 bachelor of arts, 27 bachelor of business administration and six bachelor of music degrees.

Speaker for the commencement exercises was Adolphus D. Moore, of Houston president of the college's Ex-Student Association.

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Baptist Brotherhood To Meet February 12

After its organization January 6 the Hamlin First Baptist Church Brotherhood will hold its first meeting Thursday, February 12 at 7:30 o'clock p.m.

A total of 51 members were present at the organizing meeting.

Officers elected were: Lester Morton, president; W. R. Terry, program vice-president; P. D. Funderburk, activities vice-president; Stanley Carmichael, secretary-treasurer.

Announcement was made this week by brotherhood spokesman that they will meet on the second Thursday of each month.

Supper is to be served at the Thursday meet and Roy Shahan of San Angelo will be guest speaker.

A goal of 100 has been set and all men over 17 are invited to be present.

Plates numbered in Hamlin include BL 3100 to BL 4199.

Under the new law 1948 plates could be purchased and placed on a vehicle after February 1 provided the vehicle was registered in Texas in 1947, Bennett stated. He also urged all who can to register as early as possible to avoid the last minute rush in March.

He also stated that there is a \$5 penalty for not applying for title on a vehicle within 10 days after purchase, therefore everyone should make sure his papers are in order before they are presented for registration.

Approximate number of passenger cars registering in Jones County in 1947 was 5,700.

Following was a list of Highway Registration license numbers assigned to Jones County:

Passenger, 6,190, from BK 8000 to BK 9999 and BL 10 to BL 4199; commercial truck, 1,190 from MH 10 to MH 1199; farm truck, 750 from RE 1450 to RE 2199; truck, tractor, 80 from VA 4230 to VA 5399; farm truck-tractor, 20 from VR 1050 to VR 1069; trailer, 400 from TC 880 to TC 1279; house trailer, 50 from TP 4015 to TP 4064; dealer, 35 from SJ 2415 to SJ 2449 and motorcycle, 35 from YJ 5430 to YJ 5464.

New Directors For Chamber of Commerce

Four new directors have been named to Hamlin's Chamber of Commerce board, announced Wednesday after tabulation of ballots was made.

New board members are: Eddie Jay of Jay Hardware and Implement Company; Everett Townley of D&H Department Store; A. G. Irwin of Irwin Motor Company and J. C. Turner Jr., attorney.

These four men replace John D. Ferguson, Frank G. Waggoner, J. B. Terrell Sr and B. M. Brundage who are retiring directors.

New directors will be installed February 17 at the regular monthly meeting of the chamber of commerce board. The new president will be selected at that time.

Civil Cases In 104th Dist. Court This Week

Jones County's 104th District Court had set several trials of civil cases.

Report was made according to Judge Owen Thomas.

A jury was to have been summoned for this Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hugh Carmichael are the proud parents of a little daughter, Dana Lynn, weighing six pounds and seven ounces. She made her appearance Sunday, February 1, in the Henry Memorial hospital in Abilene.

Latex Construction Company Trying To Locate Living Quarters For Large Crew Of Workers In Hamlin Next Week

Poll Tax Payments Reach High Mark; Near 6,000 Voters

Advance men were in Hamlin this week for the Latex Construction Company of Houston with a view to locating all possible vacant apartments and rooms for a crew of men who will come into Hamlin possibly early next week, depending upon weather conditions, and secure the cooperation of the Hamlin Chamber of Commerce, who has taken the responsibility of securing living quarters for the men and their families so far as it is possible to do so.

With living conditions already congested here, it will be difficult matter to supply all the needed quarters, and the Chamber of Commerce has urged citizens to give their full cooperation and to notify them of any possible vacancies.

Many places will be required as the arrival of men will grow to possibly 200, and they will remain in Hamlin for a lengthy period, possibly three months or longer, one of the men stated.

The Latex Company is now constructing a pipe line for the Texas Company from Midland to Wichita Falls and the line has been completed to Westbrook, a point about 10 miles west of Colorado City.

Mayor And Three Aldermen To Be Elected April 6th

City authorities are calling attention this week that an election will be held in Hamlin on April 6 for the purpose of electing a mayor and three aldermen and prospective candidates must file their names with the town's mayor, Holly Toler, by March 6th, 30 days prior to the election.

Terms of Mayor Holly Toler and three aldermen expire. Aldermen's names that expire are: G. R. Bennett, L. H. McBride and B. M. Brundage. Holdover aldermen are: O. D. Rowland and I. R. Witt.

The City Secretary is required to post the names of all candidates for offices not later than 30 days prior to April 6 a Herald reporter was informed.

Mayor Toler stated Wednesday that he definitely will not be a candidate for reelection but so far as he was aware none of the aldermen whose terms expire have signed their intention of retiring.

Hamil in Citizens Are Enrolled In Anson Square Dance School

A number of Hamlin residents, including Hamlin's two famous square dance teams, have enrolled in a square dance school to be conducted at Anson by Bob Summerall, a recognized instructor over most of Texas and surrounding states.

The school at Anson has a six lesson course. Closing date for the enrollment period expires at 7:30 Monday night, Mr. Summerall stated.

Rains Totals .21 In Hamlin Area

Hamlin and vicinity, along with all of West Texas, has been visited in the past 24 hours with light rains.

At noon Thursday, the local weatherman reported that 21 of an inch of rain had fallen in Hamlin, and continued drizzles were in prospect.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hugh Carmichael are the proud parents of a little daughter, Dana Lynn, weighing six pounds and seven ounces. She made her appearance Sunday, February 1, in the Henry Memorial hospital in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Cavitt announced the arrival of a son, Michael Brent, weighing 10 pounds and six ounces Saturday in a local clinic.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Smith have a son weighing six pounds and 11 ounces. He was born Wednesday in an Abilene hospital and has not yet been named.

With assurance of another extension to the Round Top Pool, and locations for three new wildcats, one each in Ellenger, Strawn and Cisco series were reported early this week in Fisher County.

The Herald also understands that extensive development is to start shortly in a section about six miles west of Hamlin.

Pond extender is the Ellis A. Hall No. 1 Ellis A. Hall, a south offset to a recently completed long northeast outpost, 330 feet from the west and 300 from the south line of section 9 block R W. E. Richardson survey.

Casing was cemented on the well at near 4,770 feet after it had been drilled to 4,801 and drillstem tested at from 4,740 to 4,801 feet and had shown gas at surface in three minutes and flow of oil in seven minutes. Shut-in bottomhole pressure was 2,150 pounds and flowing pressure was 1900 pounds with a half inch bottomhole choke.

Next completion due in the pool is the Ellis A. Hall No. 1 Joe Decker, southwest offset to the outpost, located 660 feet from south and 330 from the east line of the northeast quarter of section 80 block 1 H&TC survey. I was also drilling below 4,000 feet and is due to top the pay section this week-end.

Newest wildcat location to the field is located, 24 miles west of Hamlin he T. A. Kirk et al No 1 Eaton, southw west offset to the outpost, located 660 feet from south and 330 from the east line of the northeast quarter of section 80 block 2 TCR survey. It is on permit for 4,000 feet with rotary and is to test through the Cisco series.

Early last week, Humble Oil & Refining Company, filed application for an Ellenger wildcat, the No. 1 W. F. Davidson et ux, two miles west of McCaulley and 660 feet

from the north and west lines of the south half of section 59 HT&B survey block 1.

To test the Strawn and maybe deeper, the Exploration Drilling Company No. 1 H. S. Newman located about 26 miles west from Hamlin and 660 feet

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

HD Agent Urges
Hamlin Wives To
Glamorize Kitchens

Hamlin housewives were this week urged by Miss Loretta Allen, Jones County Home Demonstration Agent, to glamorize their kitchens.

Time was when the kitchen was really the living room of the house, where the family gathered and the friends and neighbors dropped in to visit. The kitchen was large and airy, often in contrast to the rest of the house.

As long as mother still does the cooking, the family will seek out the kitchen as a meeting place, folks just naturally gravitate to that room—and especially if it is attractive and there is room to sit and visit while the meals are being prepared," he agent said.

Many kitchens have that sterile, white operating room look that was popular before the war. Some white is good, the agent explains, but the colors of a kitchen can be planned as carefully as for the living room and will add much to the enjoyment of the room itself. If you have a beautiful set of plates—perhaps they belonged to your grandmother—or colorful pottery, plan your storage space for them so you can enjoy them—and frequently, the color scheme of the room can be built around them.

To conclude the agent explained that "You'll find it a lot more fun to spend your time in the kitchen if you'll 'glamorize' it and your family will like it, too."

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Regular Monthly Meet Of WMS Met This Monday Eve

Women's Missionary Society of Hamlin First Baptist Church met at the church Monday afternoon for its regular monthly business and consecration service.

Mrs. Joe A. Simpson was in the chair with Mrs. W. C. Russell at the piano and J. B. Smith leading the group in consecration songs.

Between songs prayers were led by Mrs. J. L. Altum, Mrs. D. L. Adair, Mrs. Ben Parker and Mrs. W. L. Boyd.

Foreign mission work was stressed and prayers for foreign missions and missionaries was led by Mrs. Etta Stephenson. Discussion of home missions which will be emphasized by a week of prayer the first week in March was followed by a prayer led by Mrs. W. L. Boyd. At the meeting it was voted to remember the sick and distressed with cards and visits. Mrs. W. C. Weir led in prayer for this group of people. Emphasis was placed on the following items for all Baptist families: family affairs, Bible study, missions including foreign, home and community, and stewardship of our time, talent and possessions. J. B. Smith, educational director, gave an inspiring devotional on "Lord Teach Us To Pray."

At the close of the meeting colored bookmakers with names and addresses of foreign missionaries to write and remember was given each attendant.

The meeting was closed with a prayer by Mrs. W. L. Meeks.

Woman's Society Has Pledge, Social Meet

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met Monday afternoon at the church in a pledge and social meeting. Mrs. Carey Gardner was leader and Mrs. J. A. Jackson brought the devotional. The theme was "That the Way May Be Known Upon Earth."

Mrs. A. Hackley listed assets and liabilities of the society on a blackboard, suggested by various members of the group, after which pledge cards were signed.

A pleasant social hour followed with refreshments of cherry pie, whipped cream, coffee and mints, served by Mrs. Ed Bailey, June Hudson and Eleanor Temple, co-hostesses.

Hudson Family Is Honored With Dinner

Misses Ava and Valeria Hudson honored several members of their family with a birthday dinner in their home Sunday.

Following have birthdays in February: Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Gilreath, Bud Renfro and Jackie Weekly.

Present for the dinner were: Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Gilreath, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Renfro, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Mixon, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Britton, Lavern Weekly and son, Jackie.

Miss Carol Bruban from Rotan spent the weekend visiting her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Clawson. Mr. Clawson is an employee of the Blue Bonnet Cafe.

Mrs. F. E. Fairey had as her guest recently her sister, Mrs. Ruth J. Absher of Edinburgh. Mrs. Absher has gone to Baton Rouge, Louisiana to visit other relatives before returning to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Shell have returned from a visit to Colorado City.

Gleaners Sunday School class of the Hamlin First Baptist Church were hosts to their husbands at a party in the home of Mrs. Herman Treadwell Tuesday evening at 7:00 o'clock p.m.

Bill Shira opened with a prayer. Mrs. Teddy Russell chose as her subject, "Marriage" of which she elaborated on and made a very interesting subject. Mrs. Bill Shira read two poems and she was also in charge of the games that were played.

A Valentine theme was used in the house decorations.

Refreshments of small heart-shaped sandwiches, congeal salad, pineapple and cranberry salad, coffee and cake were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. LaRoy Stubbs, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Carlton Mr. and Mrs. George Poe, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shira, Mr. and Mrs. Fred B. Moore Jr. and the hostess, Mrs. Herman Treadwell.

Charles Adair, student of John Tarlton College, Stephenville, was home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Adair over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Shell have returned from a visit to Colorado City.

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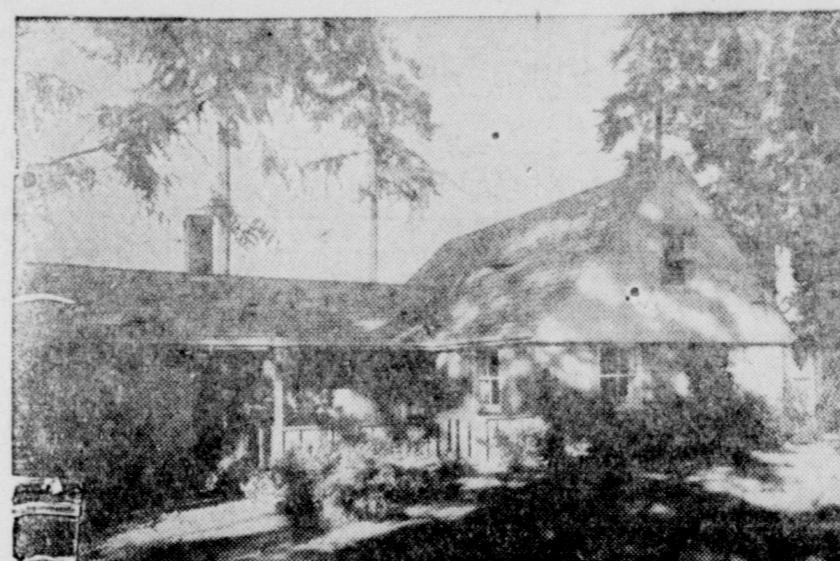
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25 Years Ago—1923

City Marshall Britton made a trip to Austin to attend a Peace Officers Convention.

Dr. W. J. Howell returned last Saturday from Dallas where he went to have special treatments for a finger that became infected several weeks ago. He says it will soon be well again.

Miss Nettie Bowen, who has been teaching Expression in the schools at Santa Anna, came home Thursday. The schools at that place has been closed indefinitely because of an influenza epidemic.

Clarence Taanny died in Chicago Illinois, January 20. His funeral was held in Smithville. His parents and other relatives met the body there and he was 22 years of age.

Mrs. Mary Leonard, who lives 10 miles west of town, returned from Austin where she had spent two months visiting her mother.

J. W. Ezell went to Stamford Thursday with his mother, who went to a hospital for a minor operation.

Mayor McLaughlin is able to be out on the street again after suffering badly several weeks with a carbuncle on his neck.

Mr. and Mrs. Tate May and Mrs. McIntosh returned Thursday from Dallas where they had been visiting since Tuesday.

Mrs. T. E. McGee returned Thursday morning with her little daughter, Clerabell, who has been in a Baptist Sanitarium. Mrs. McGee and daughter had the pleasure of coming home in the private car of her son, H. E. McGee who is the general manager of the Katy lines.

10 Years Ago—1938

John Howard and a friend from John Tarleton Stephenville, came to Hamlin Sunday for a short visit. J. V. took them back to school.

Mrs. W. B. Teague is still improving.

Miss Inez Howard is at home from Simmons University, Abilene, where she just finished the first semester. She won't return until the fall term.

Rev. Shannon and daughter from Abilene spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Fletcher and family.

Miss Velma Parker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Parker who lives a mile east of McCauley was carried to a Hamlin hospital Thursday.

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Reynolds Drug Store has recently been redecorated and enlarged the prescription department till it makes the front of the store look more alluring than the front.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. McCoy are the proud parents of a baby girl born January 20. Mrs. McCoy and little daughter, Barbara Ann, were released from the hospital January 24.

with a case of pneumonia. She had been sick for two or three days.

One and a half inches of rain fell and soaked the entire county January 22.

K. Wahead of Munday, a cousin of B. Hassen is assisting in the store while Mr. B. Hassen is taking treatments in Muskogee, Oklahoma.

J. R. Rimmer has been suffering several days with a carbuncle on one of his shoulders.

Mrs. Sidney Johnson and little son, Sidney Virgil Jr., were released from a hospital January 21.

6 Teams May Be Added To 6A Grid Play

Formation of a 12-team Class A district for the 1948 football season in the Interscholastic League have been planned and developed according to an announcement by E. M. Connell, superintendent of the Anson Schools, chairman for District 6A in the revised League groupings announced in December from League offices in Austin.

Superintendents from Hamlin, Anson, Stamford, Colorado City, Rotan, and Snyder met at Rotan last Wednesday and voted to include in District 6A schools Munday, Haskell, Throckmorton, Albany, Merkel and Roscoe.

Under the plan the district would be divided into east and west sections as is done in basketball play though it is known as District 5A in basketball listings.

Connell pointed out that the vote was unanimous in favor of including Roscoe and Munday into the group, although the enrollment of the high schools in these towns were less than the 160 stipulated by the Interscholastic League rules. An exception to the rule permits such schools to be included in Class A districts where the vote is unanimous by other participating schools.

Final decisions on Roscoe and Munday will come from the League headquarters in Austin, Connell said although the move is expected to receive an official o. k.

West section of the district 6A would be Hamlin, Rotan, Snyder, Colorado City, Roscoe and Merkel. East division would include Munday, Stamford and Anson.

Playoff between winner of the east and west halves would decide the district championship prior to the opening of state championship play-offs which begins with the bi-districts, it was pointed out.

Merkel and Roscoe were put into District 10B and Albany, Haskell, Munday and Throckmorton were in District 11B of the revised League districts as announced by The Herald in December.

Mrs. St. John received word Monday that her grandfather in Abilene slipped and broke one hip in 10 places. Mr. and Mrs. St. John have an apartment with Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Turner Sr.

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Farm Commodities Show Uneven Trend Over The Southwest Last Week

Farm prices followed uneven trends at Southwest markets last week, according to a report received by The Herald from the Production and Marketing Administration of the United States Department of Agriculture.

Corn prices fell 13 to 14 cents a bushel and other grains five to eight cents. Heavier marketings, less urgent demand and improved prospects for winter wheat helped push prices down. No. 1 hard wheat sold Friday at \$3.06 a bushel at Texas common points, No. 2 white corn around \$2.98 and oats were \$1.48 to \$1.53.

Most feed ingredients showed easier undertones in unsettled trade. Farmers sold surplus hay stocks at the highest rate since two years ago. Farmers' stock peanuts sold at support prices.

Spot cotton markets showed net gains of \$1.75 to \$2 for the week. Middling 15-16 inch closed Friday at 34.50 cents per pound at Dallas and Houston and 34.40 cents per pound at New Orleans.

Eggs weakened slightly at Denver and New Orleans during the week, but sold a little higher at Dallas toward the close. Current receipts brought 42 to 45 cents a dozen at Dallas, mostly around 38 cents at Denver, and 45 cents at New Orleans. Light hens sold stronger at Dallas to bring 20 to 23 cents a pound and at Denver 16 to 22 cents.

Sheep sold steady to around a \$1 higher for the week. Denver set a new high of \$13 on good and choice ewes as Oklahoma City and Wichita reached \$12 on choice lots. San Antonio bought good ewes at \$12, while Fort Worth paid cull to medium kinds from \$8.50 to \$10. Boston buyers in Texas took all available wools.

Cattle found a weaker market at Denver and steers showed some easiness at Wichita and San Antonio as other terminals paid steady to \$1 higher prices. Common and medium steers and yearlings brought \$17 to \$19 at Houston, while medium and good kinds turned at \$22.50 to \$26 at San Antonio and \$22 to \$28 at Fort Worth. Oklahoma City moved good and choice light steers and yearlings at \$28 to \$30. Wichita took good light steers at \$29.50 and Denver sold high good to \$30.

Texas and Oklahoma hog markets paid mostly steady to higher

prices compared to a week earlier, but the Wichita and Denver markets fell \$1 to \$1.50. San Antonio, Fort Worth and Oklahoma City closed the week at a top of \$27, as Wichita paid \$26.35 and Denver paid \$26.25. Sows closed generally at \$23 down, and pigs from \$12 to \$20.

Francis Nichols Graduates From School Of Nursing

Frances Nichols of Hamlin was among 10 nurses graduated from the Hendrick's Memorial Hospital School of Nursing in its spring exercises held last Friday at Abilene a Herald reporter learned early this week.

Dr. Harold G. Cooke, president of McMurry College, Abilene delivered the graduating address and was introduced by E. M. Collier, hospital superintendent.

The nurses that graduated last Friday were members of the 21st session of the school. To date a total of 229 nurses have been graduated from the school.

Dr. Jack Estes, chairman of the medical staff of the hospital presented the diplomas. Mrs. Doris McCune, director of nursing at the hospital presented nursing pins to the graduates.

McCaulley Wins Over Girard For March Of Dimes Benefit Games

Although bad weather was present a large crowd turned out to see the basketball games last Wednesday night between McCaulley and Girard High School cagers.

These games were benefit of the McCaulley March of Dimes.

McCaulley five A team boys won by a score of 20 to 17 and the B team won a close one by a score of 10 to 9.

An official of the community reported that contributions for the games and contributions to date amounted to \$68.50. Their quota was set at \$37.50.

Girard team members after the game attended a party given by the George Dardens of McCaulley. Hot chocolate, coffee and cake were served to attendants.

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Albert Maberry Of Sylvester To Vet School Post At Roby

Albert Maberry of Sylvester and well-known around Hamlin was named last week as the Fisher County co-ordinator of the Veterans Vocational Schools.

Maberry succeeds Ammons also well-known. Ammons, people will recall took of as superintendent of the Midwest Electric Cooperative Incorporated, with headquarters in Roby and serves Hamlin and Jones County.

As Fisher County co-ordinator Maberry will head activities of 12 veterans schools, which have a total enrollment of 265 students, including classes of agriculture, trades and industries and distributive education.

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Jones County Agent To Head Judges At 4H-FFA Club Show

Announcement was made last week that H. C. Stanley Jr., Jones County's County Agent will be the judge of Jersey and hog divisions at the annual 4-H Club and FFA boys livestock show to be held in Roby March 2.

According to Luther J. Wilson, Fisher County Agent, the show will include 23 class showings in five show divisions this year.

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"THE DEFENSE OF
SANTANTA"

An air of tenseness filled the courtroom as the State brought to close its case against Santanta and Big Tree.

The judge cleared his throat to give his charge to the jury and not a whisper was heard. Would he call for the death penalty?

The Indian Chiefs had admitted their guilt; in fact, they had even boasted of it. They had eluded the guards at their reservation in Fort Sill, Oklahoma and attacked a supply train near Jacksboro torturing and killing the guards.

But the question in the mind of the court, as well as the spectators, was whether severity would be the best course. Even Laurie Tatum, chief witness in convicting the prisoners, had not been in favor of hanging them.

"I'm afraid for the settlers along the border," he had explained. "For the Indians' nature to seek revenge."

This trial at Fort Richardson in Jacksboro was attracting far more local interest and was proving to be one of the most sensational held in Texas. For the first time in American History Indians

tried before a Civil Judge Soward knew that might well set a prece-

the judge weighed his ac-

cordingly as he faced the tense courtroom on that warm

1871.

defendant wish to

his own behalf?" he sol-

lly inquired of Chief Santanta. Slowly, arrogantly, arose Santanta, Chief of the Kiowas. "If you will let me go back to my people, I will withdraw my warriors from Tehanna" he said, speaking distinctly. "I will take them all across the Red River and that shall be the line between us and the palefaces. I will wash out the spots of blood and make it a white land, and there shall be peace; and the Tehannas may plow and drive their oxen to the banks of the river. But if you kill me it will be like a spark on the prairie... make big fire—burn heap!"

Thus ended Chief Santanta's plea for his life. Nevertheless Judge Soward asked for the death penalty should the jury find him guilty, and the jury gave the verdict of guilty in the first degree. This was later modified to life imprisonment.

Hamlin Cagers Win
Over Albany Five
By A Score Of 41-26

Hamlin High School Pied Pipers last Friday ran circles over the Albany cagers with a score of 41-26.

Hamlin's quintet B team also won over Albany 21-20 and in the C game Hamlin won 20-17.

G. C. Black of Hamlin was high scorer in the first game with 14 points. In the B game Hamlin's J. B. May was highpointer with 21 points.

Miss Virginia Brown is home from Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene.

Mrs. W. C. Hargrove is ill with the flu. Mrs. Hargrove is one of the operators at the Cactus Beauty Shop.

Mrs. W. F. Davidson of McCauley was a guest in the home of Mrs. Etta Stephenson last week and attended the Baptist Revival that was in progress.

O. I. C. Hogs, whitest, healthiest, fast-growing, quickest-maturing, bred gilts, young boars. Hogs Farm, Clyde, Texas. 14-2p



THIS TROPHY—known as the

Livestock Marketing Association Trophy, will be one of the highly valued prizes that can be won by Hamlin or other entrants who shows the champion steer in the Boys' Steer Class at the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth January 30 through February 8. The trophy will be represented by the Texas Livestock Marketing Association and all boys who have

livestock entries in the show will be guests of the Association at a barbecue Friday night, January 30 in the judging arena in the new livestock buildings at the show.

Won't Have to Endure It.

"I know I'm not much to look at," admitted the suitor.

"Oh, well," philosophized his bride-to-be, "you'll be at the office most of the time."

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Political Office Announcements

The Herald is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, election to be subject to action of the Democratic Primary Saturday, July 24:

For District Clerk:
LEON THURMAN

For Tax-Assessor-Collector:
ELZY BENNETT

For County Attorney:
GEORGE P. HUDSON
CHAS. E. BROWNFIELD JR.

For County Clerk:
H. O. (Herb) ROWLAND JR.

For Sheriff:
BILL DUNDOWY

For County Commissioner Precinct No. 1:
ROY C. BROWN

RATES FOR ANNOUNCEMENT IN THIS COLUMN:
District Offices \$20.00
County Offices \$12.50
County Commissioner \$10.00
Justice of the Peace and Constable \$7.50

Stamford Man to Seek Election As Jones County Attorney

Charles E. Brownfield Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Brownfield of Stamford, has announced his candidacy for the office of County Attorney of Jones County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary. At the present, Charles is a senior in the University of Texas Law School, Austin.

Mr. Brownfield's formal announcement will appear in an early issue of The Herald.

PIMPLES
DON'T SQUEEZE THEM! Instead, bath on KLEEREX and see how amazingly fast it hides ugly pimples as if dries them—often on first trial. Not a greasy salve that pimplifies on, but a soothing medicated liquid that relieves itching, drives redness out. Ask for KLEEREX at all druggists. Double your money back if it fails. **49c**

SICK RADIO?
Let us be the "Doctor."
FOR RADIO Repairs See—
CUNNINGHAM RADIO SERVICE
(At Jay Hardware)

Bill Dunwody Asks Relection To Sheriff's Office of County



Herb Rowland Seeks Election to Office of County Clerk

Before asking for re-election to the office of County Clerk of Jones County, I would first like to take this opportunity to sincerely thank all of you for the support given me in the last election, and I hope that I have shown this appreciation by serving you efficiently and courteously.

In asking for re-election, I would like to give you a brief survey of the operations of the Clerk's office for the past year.

Upon my request, the Commissioner's Court purchased photostatic equipment for use in recording all instruments and thereby eliminating the necessity of typing and proof-reading each instrument filed for record. Consequently, the cost of operating the office decreased due to the elimination of typists. Also the possibilities of errors were eliminated inasmuch as the records are now exact pictures of the instruments and the human element is not involved in the actual recording. The prints are made and developed within the clerk's office. This is the same system found in most of the larger counties as well as State governments. Cost of the equipment was approximately \$1,800 and the clerk's office for the past year showed net amount of \$1,752. This equipment can help me give seven to 10 day service regardless of the number of instruments filed.

Again I would like to thank you for your past support and will sincerely appreciate your vote and influence in the forthcoming election. —Sincerely Yours, H. O. (Herb) Rowland Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sanders from Stamford have bought a home on North Central Avenue. Mr. Sanders has opened a watch repair shop in the McMahon Jewelry Store.

Leon Thurman Asks Reelection Of District Clerk

To The Citizens Of Jones County:

In announcing for the office of District Clerk of Jones County, I wish first to express my thanks and appreciation for the splendid cooperation which I have received from the citizens of this County during my tenure in office. Without your cooperation, no term of office could be successful.

I have served you to the best of my ability and if you reelect me to this office I shall continue to do so.

Realizing it is almost an impossibility to contact personally each voter of this County, I trust that those whom I do not see personally will accept this announcement as a personal solicitation of your votes and influence in the coming election.—Leon Thurman.

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COTTON QUIZ



Geo. P. Hudson Announces For Office Of County Attorney

In announcing for the office of County Attorney of Jones County, Texas, I wish first to express my thanks and appreciation for the splendid vote you have given me in the past and for the cooperation which I have received from the citizens while in office, without which no officer can successfully carry on the duties of his office.

It has always been and always shall be my desire to serve you honestly and to the best of my ability. I am sure I have made mistakes, but if reelected I will attempt to serve you better in the future by use of knowledge and experience gained in the past.

I earnestly solicit your vote and influence in the coming election and between now and then I will attempt to contact each citizen of the County personally in regard to my candidacy.—George P. Hudson.

Office Supplies at The Herald.

Locally Speaking ..

FINER, STRONGER well-rooted, decent size trees that live. Paper-shell pecans, peaches, plums, pears, apples, apricots, shade trees, hedge, roses, shrubs.—Visit us or write Shanks Nurseries, Clyde, Tex. 14-2p

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Carpenter and Virgil Burt of Paducah were weekend guests in the Dan Branscum home.

Classifieds To Late To Classify

ELECTION NOTICE

PURSUANT TO AN ORDER, issued by Holly Toler, Mayor of the City of Hamlin, Jones County, Tex., on the 2nd day of February, 1948, notice is hereby given that a City Election will be held on the 6th day of April A. D. 1948, at the City Hall in the City of Hamlin, Texas, for the following purpose, viz:

The election of a Mayor and three aldermen for the City Council of the City of Hamlin, Jones County, Texas.

Signed: Holly Toler, Mayor, City of Hamlin, Texas. 14-4c

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• For Sale

AUTO LOANS—On your car or to buy a new car.—Hamlin Motor Company. 50-tfc

FOR SALE—6,000 feet good seasoned lumber.—Call 155 or write to box 263. 50-tfc

FOR RENT—Magnetic vacuum cleaner, all attachments, \$1 per day.—White Auto Store. 5tfc

FOR SALE—Plate glass, four by six and one-half feet.—Phone 240. 6-tfc

CONTINENTAL BATTERIES now on Sale at Ray Huling's Station; \$11.95, 18 months, \$13.35, 24 months and \$14.75, 30 months. 11-4p

FOR SALE—1947 used Jeep, complete with metal top.—Bandein Motor Company, Phone 56, Stamford, Texas. 12-1f

FOR SALE—1942 Oldsmobile, 66, four door sedan, radio and heater; very clean.—Bandein Motor Company, Stamford, Texas, phone 56. 12-1f

FOR SALE—Piano, good condition.—E. H. Hewett, seven miles east of Hamlin. 13-2p

FOR SALE—Roper gas range, must see to appreciate.—See James Wood, phone 75. 1c

FOR SALE—Frigidaire, five-foot box in good condition. New freezing unit just installed. Phone 163J.—Harold Bonner. 13-1f

FOR SALE—House, 4 rooms and sleeping porch, in McCaulley. See J. C. Forbes at McCaulley or J. W. Forbes at Longworth. 13-3p

SEVERAL FRESH milk cows for sale or trade for dry cattle.—Charlie Sellers, phone 249-J. 14-3p

FOR SALE—Two suits, size 16, one black and one gray, \$15. each.—Phone 299-J. 1c

FOR SALE—I am authorized to accept sealed bids on one Cotton Gin situated in the City of Burk Burnett, Texas, described as follows: One Four-Stand Continental Gin, with 100 horsepower electric motor, one new gin office and scales, cotton house and gin house, all to be moved off premises by purchaser. All in first class condition and good state of repair. Bids will be opened February 14th, 1948, and right to reject any and all bids is retained by owner. Will show property to prospective purchasers.—Mail bids to: A. T. Walling, 617 East Third Street, Burk Burnett, Texas. 14-4p

ARE YOU dissatisfied with your present job or income? Have an opening in north Jones County for a Watkins Agency. Possibilities of \$250 per month, good car or truck needed, no cash required, if you can furnish contract.—See, write or call R. M. Barrington, wholesale distributor, Box 972, Abilene, Texas, or phone 9476. 14-4p

LOST—One tan Nocona boot. If found return to Firestone Store for reward. 1c

Mrs. Grover C. Carter and daughter, Mary, returned Monday after being in Wellington, Kansas for the week-end and for the wedding of the son and brother, Walter Carter, of Wellington to Miss Terry Crites, also of Wellington. Mrs. Carter runs Euell's Dress Shop here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Britton, Lavern Weekly and Veleria Hudson visited in Abilene Sunday.

Orville Cunningham of Dickens visited Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Forgy Tuesday.

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Save trips—take advantage of these monthly San Antonio sales. All objects on exhibit seven days prior to sale at shops of undersigned dealers. All these dealers are members of San Antonio Antique Dealers Association.

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Schulze Bell & Britz **Estelle Harbin**

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AUTO LOANS—On your car or to buy a new car.—Hamlin Motor Company.

GOOD SUPPLY of mimeograph paper, second sheets, copy sheets, stationery and letter papers.—Hamlin Motor Company.

• Real Estate for Sale

FOR SALE—Good 116 acre farm 1/2 mile from town. Good cultivation plus four acres free right way for pasture; good improvements, butane gas, REA electricity.—Five miles southeast of Hamlin. Clarence L. Garrett. 13-2

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

5 ROOM House, hard wood floors, a very nice home for someone, lot 75 x 200; double garage, good chicken yard well, fenced, price \$3,500. Don't fail to see this attractive little home.

6 ROOM house, modern, 1000 ft. one mile from town on highway, a few acres of land goes with the place, \$1,400 cash down payment, price \$5,450. You can't go wrong on this one.

116 ACRES nice little farm, all rent goes with farm. Being offered for quick sale for only \$100 per acre.

220 ACRES black land farm, well improved, modern house throughout, three and a quarter miles from town, price \$115 per acre.

5 SECTION ranch, 2,150 in cultivation, 900 acres in wheat, 900 acre volunteer oats, one half mineral intact; price \$32.50 per acre.

7 SECTION Ranch plenty good, for only \$27.50 per acre.

IF IT'S Real Estate you want—have it for you.

D. M. WHITE & SON
Phone 137—Hamlin, Texas—14-4p

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CURRENT COMMENT

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By LEON GUINN

considering news leaks from Washington, is no doubt but that power to clamp ceiling on both scarce commodities and any products from them will be vested in the allocation board at Truman's present plan. . . . The legal means of such a set-up are still vague. . . . Ceilings, if any, will not be lower than present and it can also be said the administration is thinking of rolling prices back. . . . Extension of controls and some type of damper on exports will be asked by Truman and probably granted. There are hints in the wind that Congress may voted also to regulate freight car use, control of milling, laws to curb exchange speculation, and over livestock marketing and feeding.

There is every reason to believe Luckman's voluntary saving campaign will continue regardless of outcome of Truman's effort to get involuntary authority. . . . The committee will concentrate on consumers, and it is interesting to note that men worked out with distillers and bakers only will remain if legislation affecting these interests is affected. . . . Timing, by the way, of tax is as yet up in the air. . . . Truman has given in to relenting in his opposition to tax reduc-

tion, and to put it frankly, holding taxes at their present level will be one of the points stressed in control of inflation. . . . There is small reason to doubt the statement that the first year of European rehabilitation will cost around \$5,000,000,000—excluding the stop-gap funds now in the mill.

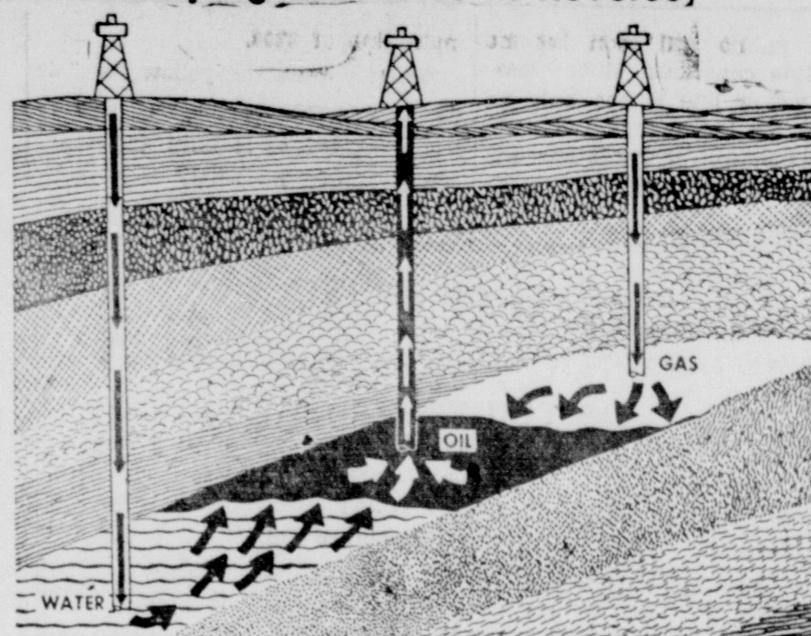


Universal military training, which has been the subject of much controversy, is certain to come up for immediate consideration during the special session of Congress. . . . It appears now to have a better than even chance of being enacted. . . . A bill to increase veteran subsistence allowances also stands a good chance of approval. . . . A tip worth watching is that one of the biggest fights during the Congressional "huddle" will be over an administration bill to let down immigration bars to admit some 400,000 displaced European persons to the United States. . . . Already, a public campaign for the measure is well underway.



While one farm may not sound very important, Ray Yarnell, editor of Capper's Farmer, suggests that farmers of this area and the nation can save millions of bushels of grain by ridding all farms of rats. . . . It is estimated there are more than 50,000,000 rats on farms of the United States at this moment. . . . A rat, under ordinary circumstances, will eat 50 pounds of grain each year if he can get it. . . . He will spoil much more, and the only way one can stop such a loss is to kill the rodents and rat-proof grain storage facilities. . . . In saving grain (because we do not yet know how rugged the road will be ahead), suggestions are made that less grain can be fed to livestock (by checking with the county agent on proper rations) and this winter and next spring every fire hazard should be removed from places where grain, or any kind of feed, is stored.

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Officials of the Texas Highway Department this week were telling the story about the bright yellow lines now being seen by motorists every day throughout the vast 27,000-mile system of paved highways of Texas.

In a release to The Herald, State Highway Engineer D. C. Greer declared: "The new yellow no-passing line is being put down on our highways as a double indemnity device.

"It gives a flashy and obvious warning of danger to the motorist who wants to protect his own life and lives of others," he explained, "and it gives the police something definite on which to jail or punish the driver who apparently cares little for his life and thereby endangers the lives of innocent motorists in the other lane."

Last year President Truman's Highway Safety Conference urged the states to concentrate on improvement of highway center stripe in a major attempt to reduce the ghastly toll of accidents due to

head-on collisions and sideswiping. In all other states the color was changed to yellow, which tests have shown is more visible in all kinds of weather than any other type of marking. This yellow color is used also to impress the motorist that where yellow is seen on the road it must not be crossed.

Sixty-five thousand gallons of yellow paint are being used by the Texas Highway Department's painting crews to mark these no-passing zones. The painting operations have been underway since November and are now moving rapidly toward completion.

Highway Department officials pointed out in the release to The Herald that the state-wide yellow striping program for no-passing zones is considered the best method from the engineering point of view for temporarily combatting the traffic accident menace on the highway system.

The officials are hopeful that the

traveling public will soon become "yellow line conscious" since crossing the yellow line is not only an invitation for loss of life and limb, but is a violation of Texas law unmaking violators liable for maxi-

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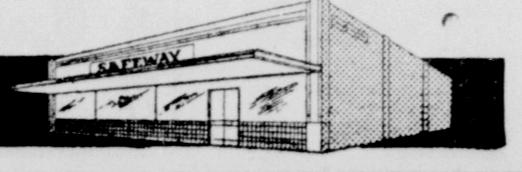
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Burleson Challenged By New York Negro

Congressman Omar Burleson of Jones County was challenged last Friday by Benjamin Davis, a New York negro and acting secretary of the Communist Party, according to Washington correspondent to the *Midwest Reporter-News*.

The negro questioned the legal right of a Texan to sit in Congress because poll taxes were required in the state.

A heated tirade against Burleson came during a hearing on whether Congress should out the Communist Party.

Right away Burleson began questioning the negro, the latter replying with volleys to the effect that Burleson had no right to question him, because that did not respect rights of minorities.

The Congressman began by asking the negro if the Constitution of the Third International drafted in 1938 did not advocate the overthrow of the United States and all other governments.

Davis replied that Burleson was from a poll tax state and that he therefore did not think that Burleson was present as a Congressman really. He also added that Burleson was also from a state that believed in lynchings.

Davis apparently was thoroughly familiar with Burleson's record as he called him by name and showed knowledge of current happenings. The negro then accused Burleson of "being in the same class with Rankin," referring to Representative John Rankin of Mississippi.

Questions asked by Burleson included the following which brought forth the same comment from Davis:

"Isn't it true that the Communist Party in cities has local programs but that its overall purpose is to stir up trouble, racial strife, strikes and confusion?"

"Doesn't the party try to become active in youth organizations and stir up unrest among Mexicans, negroes and eastern people?"

Burleson who had served in the Naval Intelligence during the war, commented that his experience on the West Coast during the war led him to see such methods used there by Communists.

Davis was asked by Burleson if he would approve the present bill if the word Fascist was substituted for Communist. Davis said he would.

Mrs. Eva Golden, underwent surgery again Monday in a hospital in

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IN HIS WORLD

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More than 2,000,000 members of the Boy Scouts of America will observe Boy Scout Week, Feb. 6th to 12th, marking the 38th anniversary of the organization. This year Boy Scouts are emphasizing conservation of food and natural resources, planting gardens, safety and fire prevention, home repairs and personal health check-up. Scouting promotes world peace through World Jamborees and practical help among 42 nations with 4,409,784 members. Through the World Friendship Fund of voluntary gifts the Boy Scouts of America helps Scouts overseas to rebuild their units. So far, more than 3,000 tons of equipment have been shipped. Above is the official poster marking the Scout birthday.

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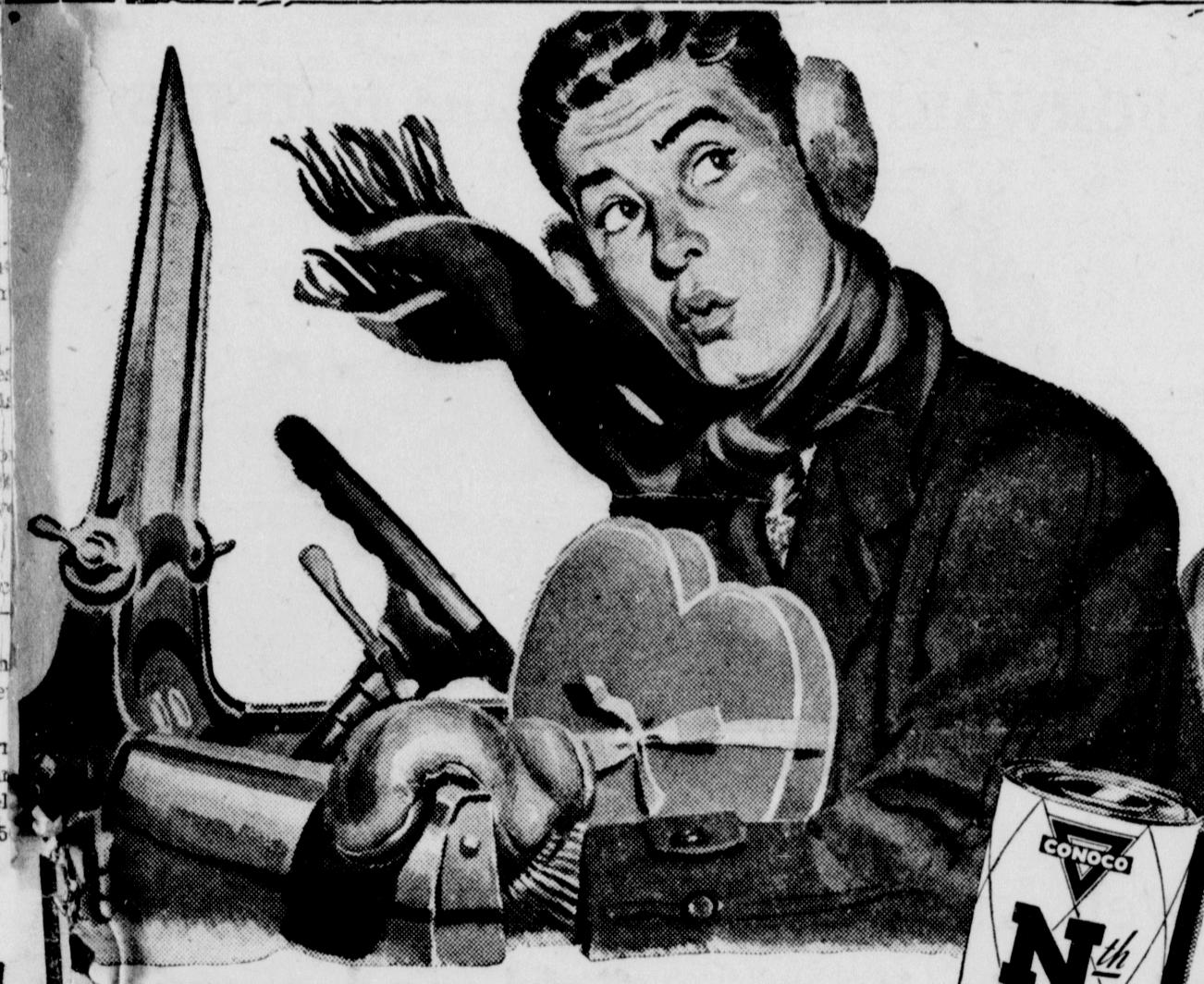
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Q.—What is meant by a good breeding program in dairying?

A.—A good breeding program consists of selecting the best and eliminating the poorest. Dairymen should plan to:

1.—Select the best pure-bred bulls they can afford of the breed they prefer and continue to use bulls of the same breed in successive generations.

2.—Select heifers for replacement from the highest producing cows.

3.—Select heifers from the "typiest" cows. There is demonstrated evidence to indicate that desirable body conformation and high production go together.

4.—Stick to one breed rather than cross-breed indiscriminately. Mixed breeding means mixing good and bad inheritance. This retards permanent improvement.

Q.—At what age should gilts be selected for brood sows?

A.—It is good management practice to leave all the gilts in the fattening pen until the market pigs

Gender Makes the Name.

Mary—"Mr. Smith is an efficient expert in our office."

Jane—"What does an efficiency expert do?"

Mary—"Well, if we girls did it, they'd call it nagging."

are ready to be shipped, usually at six months of age. This is the practice at the research farm of a famous feed concern, and it has the distinct advantage of increasing accuracy of selection. Gilts frequently change considerably in appearance from weaning to six months of age, and the breeder should try to make sure that the gilt he places in the breeding herd will be capable of producing "market toppers."

Q.—In breeding ducks, how many eggs should a good breeder produce during the laying season, and how many ducklings should be hatched?

A.—The laying season is ordinarily from November or December until the following June or July, and good breeders should produce from 130 to 150 eggs. From these 60 to 80 ducklings should be hatched, although the hatchability may often be much higher than this, sometimes reaching 90 to 95 ducklings per breeder during the laying season.

Q.—At what age are angora rabbits ready for shearing, and how

Five Times More Cotton.

Lee Colvin of Lafayette County has multiplied his cotton yield by five on a 24-acre field by planting and turning under crops of Austrian winter peas for four successive years.—Arkansas Extension Service.

often are mature rabbits sheared?

A.—Rabbits are sheared or plucked when their wool is between two and one-half and three inches long, and young rabbits are about two and one-half to three months of age before their wool is of the desired length. Mature rabbits are usually sheared every 10 or 12 weeks.

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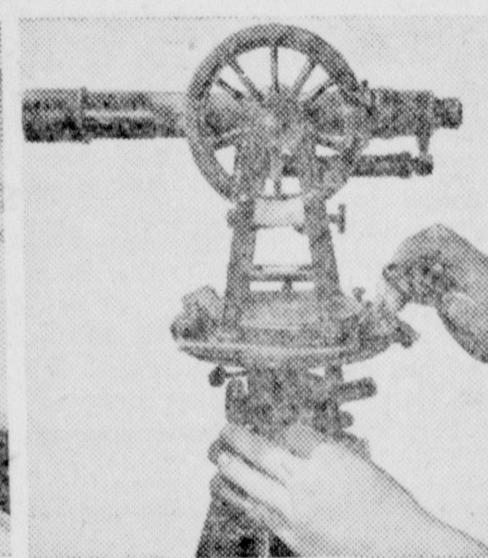
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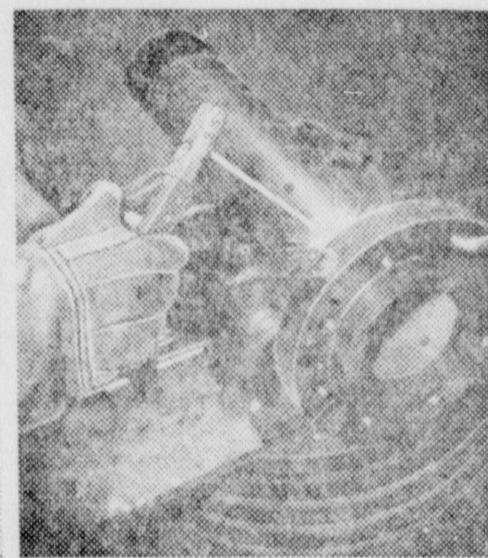
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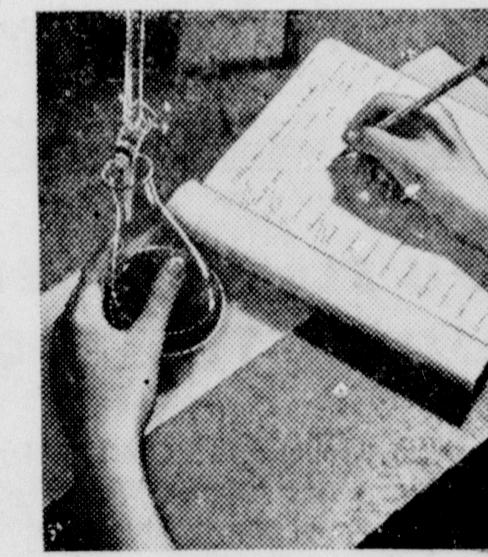
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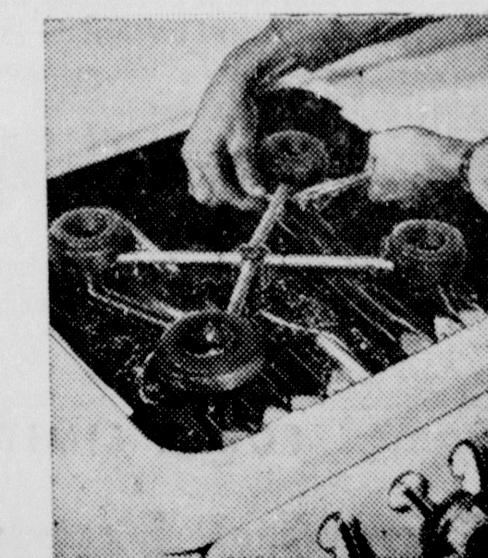
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POT-SHOTS FROM McCUAULLEY

By GEORGE DARDEN

Milton Webb and A. H. Hennington hands the scribe \$5 each to be applied on the Cemetery Fund. Keep up the good work folks.

Mrs. J. A. Jackson sends in her check for \$5 for the Cemetery Fund. We can always depend on Mrs. Jackson for any worthy cause even though she is now a resident of Hamlin.

Even though the weather was severe cold, a large crowd turned out for the basketball games last Wednesday night with Girard High School for the benefit of the March of Dimes Drive for McCaulley. We won both games in two of the best thrillers of the season. The local A boys team winning by a score of 20 to 17 and the local B team winning a close one by a score of 10 to 9.

Total contributions for the games and contributions to date is \$68.50. Our quota was \$37.50. Thanks folks for your liberal contributions for a worthy cause. After the ball game Wednesday night the Girard teams and fans were served with hot chocolate, coffee and cake in the home of the George Dardens.

Mrs. O. R. Lee underwent surgery in a hospital in Rotan last week and was improving at the writing.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sewell from Abilene visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert George last week-end.

W. R. (Reg) Moffett from down Sylvester way announced last week for county assessor-collector for Fisher County. He is well known over the county for being active in church and civic organizations at Sylvester.

Contributions are still coming in for the McCaulley March of Dimes Fund, all of which will help fight

dressing room was robbed of their money and jewelry at the Roby tournament last week-end.

Neely Morton, democratic chairman of Fisher County, may announce for district clerk soon.

Five persons were in a hospital at Rotan Sunday as a result of a car wreck at Roby last Saturday night. None seriously we think, but possibly one or two with broken bones. One was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Shelly now of Rotan but formerly of this community. Another daughter of the Shelly's was recently killed in Alabama in a car wreck.

While visiting the sick at a Rotan hospital last Sunday we found that Mrs. John Crowley, Mrs. O. R. Lee and Ed Mason were improving. Mrs. Lee is expected home this week.

We saw some mighty fine basketball games at the all-girl tournament at Roby last week-end. A total of 16 teams were entered so we hear, but Colorado City and Merkel failed to show up therefore, Roby, the host town, only had to play one game to go into the finals with Jayton. Jayton won the tournament by playing some of the best basketball seen in these parts this season. The McCaulley girls played two hard fought games Thursday and Friday and defeated Snyder and Trent, then on Saturday our girls played Roby and was defeated.

We hear a lot about "leading citizens", our definition of such a citizen is one that puts forth every effort for his community, one who gives to every worthy cause without flinching and who helps his neighbor, sick and afflicted. There are many such citizens in our community who are sincerely appreciated.

Mrs. W. M. Keller has returned from a Rotan hospital and glad to report that she is improving.

Mrs. Jap Kemp is undergoing treatments at a hospital in Rotan. Wheat pastures in this area of the country are not according much pasture thus far, perhaps due to the cold weather and not enough rain.

Jayton girls basketball teams

Jones County
NFLA Among Top
Twenty Of State

Jones County's National Farm Loan Association with headquarters at Anson has again ranked in the "high 20" in new business for the year, it also finished the year without a single delinquent or past due item." He also stated that this record is a high tribute to the farmers and ranchers of the area.

As a result of the record attained in new business written, Breed has been awarded a trip to Houston with expenses paid and is to be a guest of the Federal Land Bank of Houston on the occasion of its annual stockholder's meeting on February 17 and 18.

Joe Culbertson, vice-president of the association, will also attend the stockholder's meeting at Houston a representative of the association reported.

Other directors to attend from Hamlin include L. H. McBride.

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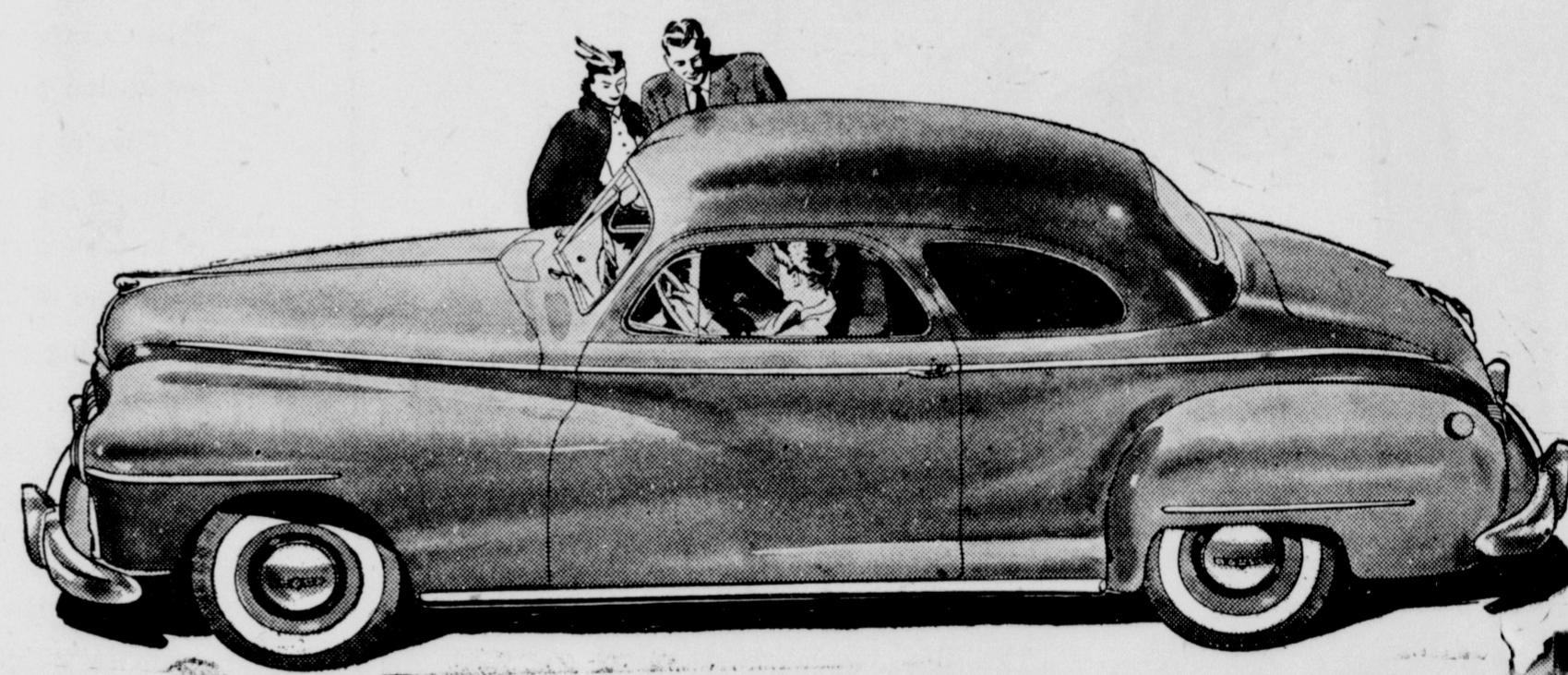
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Jones County Bartlett Pool Extension Try Is Begun

Drilling was expected to have started last week-end on the first extension try to the new Swastika production area 28 miles northwest of Hamlin, the North American Oil Consolidated No. 1 W. T. Rainwater Estate, 330 feet from the south and west lines of section 33 block 2 SP survey.

This well is on permit for 4,000 feet with rotary and located as a southeast offset to the Unruh & Frazier et al No. 1 Bartlett which gauged more than 500 barrels of oil per day from Swastika sand at a depth of 3,230-3,243 feet, the latter part of December Herald readers recall.

Locations for at least two additional extension tries have been made but will not be drilled before the completion of the North American well a report stated.

In the Hardy Field, the Great Lakes Carbon Corporation, a producer, located on the northeast corner of the recently opened extension area about 10 miles south of Hamlin has located another north extension try and has been staked out.

This well the Great Lakes Carbon Corporation, No. 3 E. V. Hardwick, 2,710 feet from the north and 850 from the east lines of section 11 block 4 H&TC survey. Drilled to 3,737 feet after topping the Hardy sand at 3,650, completion is to be through casing perforations at 3,650-3,660 feet.

A new location for the Great Lakes Carbon Corporation, No. 4 E. V. Hardwick, 933 feet north of the N. J. 2 or 2,393 feet from the south and 1,660 from the west line of the 300 acre Hardwick tract in section 11 block 4 H&TC survey. Permit was for 3,750 feet with rotary and drilling was to have started early this week.

About 15 miles southeast of Hamlin, test of the Palo Pinto at about 3,150 feet was due early this week on the Jones & Stasney et al No. 1 Hansen & Harrison, wildcat test 330 feet from the west and 2,075 from the north line of section 8 block 3 H&TC survey. No shows had been reported for the well above the Palo Pinto early this week.

On the north edge of the Pitzer Strawn pool about 22 miles southeast of Hamlin, drilling was resumed at 3,400 feet after a shutdown for weather on the V. C. Perini Jr. et al No. 1 John R. Collins, 467 feet from the south and 542 feet from the east line of lot 24 league 150 DeWitt County School Lands survey.

Before shutdown Hamlin people will recall the well gave recovery of 90 feet of free oil and some gas on a drillstem test of the Canyon from 3,292 to 3,400 feet. It was the same section which showed for large gas production in the Texas Company's deep discovery located to the northwest of this well.

About 11 miles southeast of Hamlin 330 feet from the west and south lines of section 15 block 17 T&P survey, drilling was continuing below 1,800 feet on the project to the Strawn sand by Pain & McGaha et al No. 1 A. W. McCollum. This well is to go to 4,800 feet or production above that point.

In the Wimberly Field, about 15 miles southwest of Hamlin application for a special permit has been filed by Maracaibo Oil Exploration Corporation to drill the No. 4 W. C. Church an inside location located 330 feet from the north and east lines of lot 88 league 126 DeWitt County School Land survey. Application is for drilling through the regular field pays to 2,550 feet with rotary.

Located in the same general area 330 feet from the south and west lines of lot 88, completion through casing perforations was begun early this week on the North American Oil Consolidated Incorporated, No. 6 Mashburn Estate. Casing was cemented at 2,540 feet after several of the field tries had given good shows for production.

About 23 miles southeast of Hamlin operators have plugged and abandoned the Star Oil Company, No. 1 J. J. Steele with no shows reported to 3,005 feet. It was located 990 feet from the north and 330 feet from the east line of the north half of the southwest quarter of section 11 block 2 SP survey.

Bennett Of Hamlin Hatchery Speaks To Stamford Club

Gordon Bennett, manager of the Hamlin Hatchery, one of Texas' largest hatcheries, spoke at the Exchange Club at Stamford last Friday.

He stated that he was interested in the poultry business to help others as well as himself. And went on to say that people of this immediate area could copy what is being done elsewhere to profit from raising poultry.

He remarked that mass production of broilers by such well known chicken shack owners as Leslie's and Youngblood's is achieved in an unusual way. Instead of undertaking to grow the chicks themselves they place the chicks in the hands of individual growers at no cost, prescribe and furnish the diet and settle up for the growing costs when the chickens are returned. In this way the grower is enabled to operate without capital and the owner gets them to market.

Bennett continued that these boys not only served the chickens cooked at their roadside inns, but also shipped them to markets under their brand names. This, he said, could be accomplished in a similar manner for chicken growers of this country and instead of importers we could become shippers, what the production of our grain upon which to feed the poultry.

Bennett was a school teacher before becoming superintendent of the Hamlin Schools and later pursued the hatchery business as his profession.

Hamlin Lions Guest Of Aspermont Lions Next Tuesday Night

The noon luncheon of the local Lions Club has been suspended for next Tuesday, because most of the members and their wives plan to go to Aspermont as the guests of the Aspermont Lions at a banquet there Tuesday night.

Aspermont is making preparations to care for several hundred expected guests from Hamlin, Abilene, Anson, Stamford, Haskell, Spur and other nearby towns. Abilene will furnish the guest speaker and have chartered a bus for the trip to Aspermont. Hamlin and Anson are on the entertainment program.

Lion President I. R. Hutchinson of the local Lions announced that he expected almost a hundred percent attendance from the Hamlin club.

Joan and Bill Harbert were visiting in Hamlin last week-end.

Proclamation

By the Mayor of Hamlin

WHEREAS, February 8, 1948 is the 28th anniversary of the founding of the Boy Scouts of America which has been chartered by the Congress of the United States, and

WHEREAS, the Scout Program has affected the lives of 14,000,000 American boys and men since its inception and now has an active enrollment of more than 2,000,000, and

WHEREAS, the skills and experiences acquired through Scouting are great influences for building young Americans into men and participating citizens, thus making an incalculable contribution to the civic enterprise of this and countless other communities, and

WHEREAS, the Boy Scout Movement is a great factor for the promotion of World Peace, and marks this anniversary with the theme, "The Scout Citizen at Work," in his home... in his community... in his nation... in his World," with practical assistance to brother Boy Scouts overseas to rebuild their organizations;

NOW THEREFORE, I, Holly Toler, Mayor of the City of Hamlin in the State of Texas, do hereby proclaim the week of February 6th to 12th as Boy Scout Week and urge our citizens to recognize the unselfish service of Scout leaders, and to do all in their power to help promote this fine program among our youth.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF I have hereunto signed my name officially and caused the Seal of the City of Hamlin to be affixed, this third day of February, 1948.—Signed Holly Toler, Mayor.

Jones County Vocational School Debt Free, With Yearly Income Of \$225,000 And An Enrollment Of 180 Veterans

The Jones County Vocational School for Veterans has paid \$750 to the Hamlin Chamber of Commerce and \$250 to the Junior Chamber of Commerce of Hamlin, representing a loan obtained by the school when it was established in September 1946, according to James W. Love, co-ordinator of the school. An additional loan of \$2,000 has been paid at Anson and Stamford, according to Love, which cleared the total indebtedness of the school.

The school started with three agricultural classes and one distributive education, with a starting enrollment of 50 veterans. It now has an enrollment of 180 veterans with five classes in vocational agriculture, two of distributive education, one auto mechanics located in Hamlin, and one carpenters and cabinet makers, located in Stamford. The school has a yearly income of \$225,000.

Plans are underway to build a farm shop and classroom building in Hamlin, and organize in distributive education.

Mr. Love expressed his personal appreciation to the citizens of Hamlin and Jones county in general for the splendid cooperation.

Reynard Brown Gets Degree At NTST

Reynard Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Brown of Hamlin was among 169 students awarded degrees in a winter commencement exercises at North Texas State College, Denton held last Thursday, January 29 so a report to The Herald from a college source revealed this week.

Brown received the bachelor of arts degree with a major in music. While attending North Texas State College he was a member of Phi Mu Alpha and the Gammadions.

The college gave 142 bachelor's degrees and 27 master's in the exercises. Bachelor's degrees awarded included 87 bachelor of science, 22 bachelor of arts, 27 bachelor of business administration and six bachelors of music degrees.

Speaker for the commencement exercises was Adolphus D. Moore, of Houston president of the college's Ex-Student Association.

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Latex Construction Company Trying To Locate Living Quarters For Large Crew Of Workers In Hamlin Next Week

Poll Tax Payments Reach High Mark; Near 6,000 Voters

Advance men were in Hamlin this week for the Latex Construction Company of Houston with a view to locating all possible vacant apartments and rooms for a crew of men who will come into Hamlin possibly early next week, depending upon weather conditions, and secure the cooperation of the Hamlin Chamber of Commerce, who has taken the responsibility of securing living quarters for the men and their families so far as it is possible to do so.

With living conditions already congested here, it will be a difficult matter to supply all the needed quarters, and the Chamber of Commerce has urged citizens to give their full cooperation and to notify them of any possible vacancies.

Many places will be required as the arrival of men will grow to possibly 200, and they will remain in Hamlin for a lengthy period, possibly three months or longer, one of the men stated.

The Latex Company is now constructing a pipe line for the Texas Company from Midland to Wichita Falls and the line has been completed to Westbrook, a point about 10 miles west of Colorado City.

Mayor And Three Aldermen To Be Elected April 6th

Elzy Bennett, Jones County Tax Assessor Collector announced to a Herald reporter this week that the new 1948 license plates may be purchased in Hamlin at Morgan Insurance Agency.

Plates numbered in Hamlin include BL 3100 to BL 4199.

Under the new law 1948 plates could be purchased and placed on a vehicle after February 1 provided the vehicle was registered in Texas in 1947, Bennett stated. He also urged all who can to register as early as possible to avoid the last minute rush in March.

He also stated that there is a \$5 penalty for not applying for title on a vehicle within 10 days after purchase, therefore everyone should make sure his papers are in order before they are presented for registration.

Approximate number of passenger cars registering in Jones County in 1947 was 5,700.

Following was a list of Highway Registration license numbers assigned to Jones County:

Passenger, 6,190, from BK 8000 to BK 9999 and BL 10 to BL 4199; commercial truck, 1,190 from MH 10 to MH 1199; farm truck, 750 from RE 1450 to RE 2199; truck, tractor, 80 from VA 4230 to VA 5309; farm truck-tractor, 20 from VR 1650 to VR 1069; trailer, 400 from TC 880 to TC 1279; house trailer, 50 from TP 4015 to TP 4064; dealer, 35 from SJ 2415 to SJ 2449 and motorcycle, 35 from YJ 5430 to YJ 5464.

The City Secretary is required to post the names of all candidates for offices not later than 30 days prior to April 6 a Herald reporter was informed.

Mayor Toler stated Wednesday that he definitely will not be a candidate for reelection but so far as he was aware none of the aldermen whose terms expire have signed their intention of retiring.

Terms of Mayor Holly Toler and three aldermen expire. Aldermen's names that expire are: G. R. Bennett, L. H. McBride and B. M. Brundage. Holdover aldermen are: O. D. Rowland and I. R. Witt.

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Mr. and Mrs. Morris Wolf are the proud parents of a baby girl born last Wednesday in a Rotan hospital.

She answers to the name of Sherry Faye. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Tom Neil and Mrs. M. H. Wolf.

A son weighing seven and one-half pounds was born Wednesday in a local clinic to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fudge. The little fellow was named Joe Allen.

Born in a local clinic Sunday a son weighing eight and one-half pounds to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Houghton. He has been named George Paul.

A little daughter, Barbara Neil, is new in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George McDaniel born Wednesday. She weighed eight and one-half pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Cavitt announce the arrival of a son, Michael Brent, weighing 10 pounds and six ounces Saturday in a local clinic.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Smith have a son weighing six pounds and 11 ounces. He was born Wednesday in an Abilene hospital and has not yet been named.

Blessed Events

With assurance of another extension to the Round Top Pool, and locations for three new wildcats, one each in Ellerburger, Strawn and Cisco series were reported early this week in Fisher County.

The Herald also understands that extensive development is to start shortly in a section about six miles west of Hamlin.

Pool extender is the Ellis A. Hall No. 1 Ellis A. Hall, a south offset to a recently completed long northeast outcrop, 330 feet from the west and 300 from the south line of section 9 block R W. E. Richardson survey.

Casing was cemented on the well at near 4,770 feet after it had been drilled to 4,801 and drillstem tested at from 4,740 to 4,801 feet and had shown gas at surface in three minutes and flow of oil in seven minutes. Shut-in bottomhole pressure was 2,150 pounds and flowing pressure was 1,900 pounds with a half inch bottomhole choke.

Next completion due in the pool is the Ellis A. Hall No. 1 Joe Decker, southwest offset to the outcrop, located 660 feet from south and 330 from the east line of the northeast quarter of section 80 block 1 H&TC survey. It was also drilling below 4,000 feet and is due to top the pay section this week-end.

Newest wildcat location to the field is located, 24 miles west of Hamlin by T. A. Kirk et al No. 1 Eaton, situated 467 feet from the south and east lines of section 183 block 2 TCR survey. It is on permit for 4,000 feet with rotary and is to test through the Cisco series.

Early last week, Humble Oil & Refining Company, filed application for an Ellerburger wildcat, the No. 1 W. F. Davidson et ux, two miles west of McCaulley and 660 feet from the north and west lines of the south half of section 59 HT&B survey block 1.

To test the Strawn and maybe deeper, the Exploration Drilling Company No. 1 H. S. Newman located about 26 miles west from Hamlin and 660 feet from the south line of subdivision 2 1-2 John Rodman survey, and 660 feet east of the east line of El Paso County School Lands survey.

Temper is one thing you can't get rid of by losing.



GROUP OF MEN—of the First Baptist Church of Hamlin who met January 6 to organize a Baptist Brotherhood are pictured above. There were 51 present. Officers elected were: Lester Morton, president, W. R. Terry, program vice-president; P. D. Funderburk, activities vice-president; Stanley Carmichael, secretary-treasurer. First meeting is to be February 12.

Civil Cases In 104th Dist. Court This Week

Jones County's 104th District Court had set several trials of civil cases.

Report was made according to Judge Owen Thomas.

A jury was to have been summoned for this Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hugh Carmichael are the proud parents of a little daughter, Dana Lynn, weighing six pounds and seven ounces. She made her appearance Sunday, February 1, in the Hemphill Memorial hospital in Abilene.

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OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

HD Agent Urges Hamlin Wives To Glamorize Kitchens

Hamlin housewives were this week urged by Mrs. Loretta Allen, Jones County Home Demonstration Agent, to glamorize their kitchens.

Time was when the kitchen was really the living room of the house, where the family gathered and the friends and neighbors dropped in to visit. The kitchen was large and airy, often in contrast to the rest of the house.

As long as mother still does the cooking, the family will seek out the kitchen as a meeting place—folks just naturally gravitate to that room—and especially if it is attractive and there is room to sit and visit while the meals are being prepared," the agent said.

Many kitchens have that sterile, white operating room look that was popular before the war. Some white is good, the agent explains, but the colors of a kitchen can be planned as carefully as for the living room and will add much to the enjoyment of the room itself. If you have a beautiful set of plates—perhaps they belonged to your grandmother—or colorful pottery, plan your storage space for them so you can enjoy them—and frequently, the color scheme of the room can be built around them.

To conclude the agent explained that "You'll find it a lot more fun to spend your time in the kitchen if you'll 'glamorize' it and your family will like it, too."

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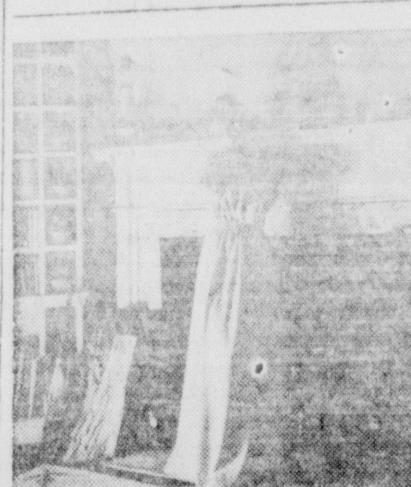
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Regular Monthly Meet Of WMS Met This Monday Eve

Women's Missionary Society of Hamlin First Baptist Church met at the church Monday afternoon for its regular monthly business and consecration service.

Mrs. Joe A. Simpson was in the chair with Mrs. W. C. Russell at the piano and J. B. Smith leading the group in consecration songs.

Between songs prayers were led by Mrs. J. L. Altum, Mrs. D. L. Adair, Mrs. Ben Parker and Mrs. W. L. Boyd.

Foreign mission work was stressed and prayers for foreign missions and missionaries was led by Mrs. Etta Stephenson. Discussion of home missions which will be emphasized by a week of prayer the first week in March was followed by a prayer led by Mrs. W. L. Boyd. At the meeting it was voted to remember the sick and distressed with cards and visits. Mrs. W. C. Weir led in prayer for this group of people. Emphasis was placed on the following items for all Baptist families: family affairs, Bible study, missions including foreign, home and community, and stewardship of our time, talent and possessions. J. B. Smith, educational director, gave an inspiring devotional on "Lord Teach Us To Pray."

Mrs. A. Hackley listed assets and liabilities of the society on a blackboard, suggested by various members of the group, after which pledge cards were signed.

A pleasant social hour followed with refreshments of cherry pie, whipped cream, coffee and mints, served by Mrs. Ed Bailey, June Hudson and Eleanor Temple, co-hostesses.

Woman's Society Has Pledge, Social Meet

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met Monday afternoon at the church in a pledge and social meeting. Mrs. Carey Gardner was leader and Mrs. J. A. Jackson brought the devotional. The theme was "That the Way May Be Known Upon Earth."

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Hudson Family Is Honored With Dinner

Misses Ava and Valeria Hudson honored several members of their family with a birthday dinner in their home Sunday.

Following have birthdays in February: Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Gilreath, Bud Renfro and Jackie Weekly.

Present for the dinner were: Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Gilreath, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Renfro, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Mixon, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Britton, Lavern Weekly and son, Jackie.

A Valentine theme was used in the house decorations.

Refreshments of small heart-shaped sandwiches, congeal salad, pineapple and cranberry salad, coffee and cake were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. LaRoy Stubbs, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Carlton Mr. and Mrs. George Poe, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shira, Mr. and Mrs. Fred B. Moore Jr. and the hostess, Mrs. Herman Treadwell.

Mrs. F. E. Fairey had as her guest recently her sister, Mrs. Ruth J. Absher of Edinburgh. Mrs. Abshers has gone to Baton Rouge, Louisiana to visit other relatives before returning to her home.

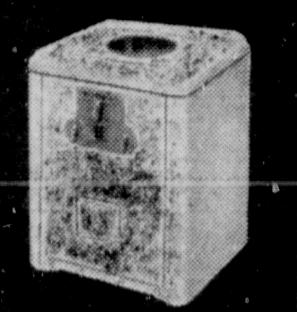
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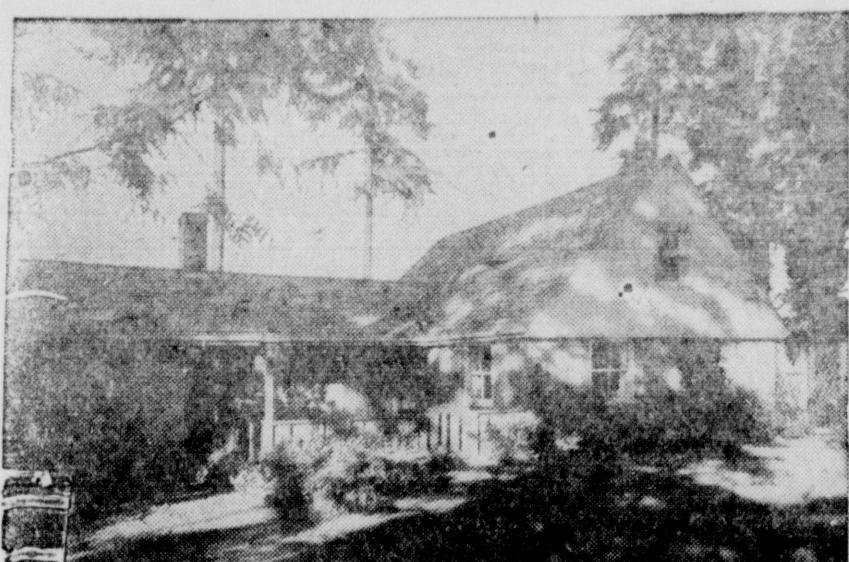


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Gleaners Class Hosts Husbands At Party Tuesday Eve

Gleaners Sunday School class of the Hamlin First Baptist Church were hosts to their husbands at a party in the home of Mrs. Herman Treadwell Tuesday evening at 7:00 o'clock p. m.

Bill Shira opened with a prayer, Mrs. Teddy Russell chose as her subject, "Marriage" of which she elaborated on and made a very interesting subject. Mrs. Bill Shira read two poems and she was also in charge of the games that were played.

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Charles Adair, student of John Tarlton College, Stephenville, was home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Adair over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Shull have returned from a visit to Colorado City.

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25 Years Ago—1923

Reynolds Drug Store has recently been redone and enlarged the prescription department till it makes the front of the store look more alluring than the front.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. McCoy are the proud parents of a baby girl born January 20. Mrs. McCoy and little daughter, Barbara Ann, were released from the hospital January 24.

with a case of pneumonia. She had been sick for two or three days.

One and a half inches of rain fell and soaked the entire county January 22.

K. Wahead of Munday, a cousin of B. Hassen is assisting in the store while Mr. B. Hassen is taking treatments in Muskogee, Oklahoma.

J. R. Rimmer has been suffering several days with a carbuncle on one of his shoulders.

Mrs. Sidney Johnson and little son, Sidney Virgil Jr., were released from a hospital January 21.

6 Teams May Be Added To 6A Grid Play

Formation of a 12-team Class A district for the 1948 football season in the Interscolastic League have been planned and developed according to an announcement by E. M. Connell, superintendent of the Anson Schools, chairman for District 6A in the revised League groupings announced in December from League offices in Austin.

Superintendents from Hamlin, Anson, Stamford, Colorado City, Rotan, and Snyder met at Rotan last Wednesday and voted to include in District 6A schools Munday, Haskell, Throckmorton, Albany, Merkel and Roscoe.

Under the plan the district would be divided into east and west sections as is done in basketball play though it is known as District 5A in basketball listings.

Connell pointed out that the vote was unanimous in favor of including Roscoe and Munday into the group, although the enrollment of the high schools in these towns were less than the 160 stipulated by the Interscholastic League rules. An exception to the rule permits such schools to be included in Class A districts where the vote is unanimous by other participating schools.

Final decisions on Roscoe and Munday will come from the League headquarters in Austin, Connell said although the move is expected to receive an official o. k.

West section of the district 6A would be Hamlin, Rotan, Snyder, Colorado City, Roscoe and Merkel. East division would include Munday, Stamford and Anson.

Playoff between winner of the east and west halves would decide the district championship prior to the opening of state championship play-offs which begins with the bi-districts, it was pointed out.

Merkel and Roscoe were put into District 10B and Albany, Haskell, Munday and Throckmorton were in District 11B of the revised League districts as announced by The Herald in December.

Mrs. St. John received word Monday that her grandfather in Abilene slipped and broke one hip in 10 places. Mr. and Mrs. St. John have an apartment with Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Turner Sr.

City Marshall Britton made a trip to Austin to attend a Pear Officers Convention.

Dr. W. J. Howell returned last Saturday from Dallas where he went to have special treatments for a finger that became infected several weeks ago. He says it will soon be well again.

Miss Nettie Bowen, who has been teaching Expression in the schools at Santa Anna came home Thursday. The schools at that place have been closed indefinitely because of an influenza epidemic.

Clarence Taunay died in Chicago Illinois, January 20. His funeral was held in Smithville. His parents and other relatives met the body there and he was 22 years of age.

Mrs. Mary Leonard, who lives 10 miles west of town, returned from Austin where she had spent two weeks visiting her mother.

J. W. Ezell went to Stamford Thursday with his mother, who went to a hospital for a minor operation.

Mayor McLaughlin is able to be out on the street again after suffering badly several weeks with a carbuncle on his neck.

Mr. and Mrs. Tate May and Mrs. McIntosh returned Thursday from Dallas where they had been visiting since Tuesday.

Mrs. T. E. McGee returned yesterday morning with her little daughter, Cleabell, who has been in a Baptist Sanitarium. Mrs. McGee and daughter had the pleasure of coming home in the private car of her son, H. E. McGee who is the general manager of the Katy lines.

10 Years Ago—1938

John Howard and a friend from John Tarleton Stephenville, came to Hamlin Sunday for a short visit, J. V. took them back to school.

Mrs. W. B. Teague is still improving.

Miss Inez Howard is at home from Simmons University, Abilene, where she just finished the first semester. She won't return until the fall term.

Rev. Shannon and daughter from Abilene spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Fletcher and family.

Miss Velma Parker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Parker who lives a mile east of McCaulley was carried to a Hamlin hospital Thursday.

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TEXANS TALK TIDELANDS TO TRUMAN

—Apparently pleased with their conference with the President on state ownership of submerged lands, Robert Lee Bobbitt of San Antonio, chairman of the Texas State Bar Tidelands Committee, Attorney General Price

Daniel and Senator Tom Connally leave the White House.

The Texans explained their state's annexation agreement with the US and the importance of submerged land revenues to the Texas Public School Fund. They asked Mr. Truman for another hearing before he takes action on pending legislation.

Truman Almost Says He Will Run For President

Hamlin people were warned this week that this is the season of the year when influenza or "flu" is most prevalent, according to Dr. George W. Cox, state health officer. Colds, grips, influenza or whatever we may call them, are believed to be spread from person to person through discharges from the nose and throat. To protect yourself and others from such diseases here are some of the things to remember he stated.

Influenza is highly infectious. Practically everybody is susceptible to it. No matter how many times you have had the disease you may contract it again. Therefore, keep away from people who are coughing, sneezing, or who are actively ill with colds, influenza or pneumonia. Keep away from crowded places. Have your own towel; always wash your hands before eating; and sneeze or cough into your handkerchief.

Keep fit by drinking plenty of water, eating simple nourishing foods, and taking some exercise each day out of doors. Dress according to the weather; get plenty of sleep in a well ventilated room and keep the bowls regulated.

Disastrous results may ensue from this disease if influenza cases are allowed to get about too soon.

Persons convalescing from this disease are particularly susceptible to other infections; so, if you are just getting

over some illness, return to your normal routine of life gradually.

Stumbling Block.

Jackie, aged eight, was returning from a visit to his grandmother.

"Oh, the train was fun," he said when his mother met him. "But," he add, puzzled. "Some soldiers were mean to me. You see, when I got on the train a nice lady came and sat down and we talked till she got off. The minute she left, two soldier across the aisle came over and bawled me out. They said, 'You little weasel, why didn't you say that babe wasn't your mother?'"

Rev. John Osteen was principal speaker at a Youth Revival held in the Wichita Falls First Baptist Church Friday night.

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Cottonseed Moves To Mills Slowly At Price Ranges \$85 To \$120

Movement of cottonseed to crushing mills decreased considerably during the last two weeks, according to the number of certificates received by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, in its weekly release to The Herald. Ginning made good progress in the high plains of Texas but elsewhere inclement weather retarded harvesting.

Prices for wagon lot seed f. o. b. gins increased in both Texas and Oklahoma. The average price during the last two weeks was \$99 per ton, which compares with \$95.80 per ton on January 8, 1948. Texas gin prices ranged from \$85 per ton to \$120 per ton, the highest price being reported.

Gin prices ranged from \$95 to \$120 per ton f. o. b. gins. Some seed was purchased on "as is" basis and some on basic grade 100.

Sampling and grading of cottonseed is under the supervision of the Production and Marketing Administration.

No Reflection on Him.

Son—"Pop, why do you always sign my report card with an X?"

Pop—"I don't want the teacher to think anyone who could read and write could have a son as dumb as you."

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LIBBY'S	LIBBY'S		Qt. 15c	7c	WAX BEANS, No. 2
BABY FOOD, can	LIBBY'S		LIBBY'S	22c	Na. 2
LARGE					
DUZ	36c	FLAKES	36c	SNOW	36c
LIBBYS					
PUREX	25c	SIZE FITCHS	15c	C. G. 303	19c
HAIR OIL	13c	BROOKS	MODART	75c SIZE	49c
VEGETABLE SOUP	25c	SUNSHINE	JOHNSON'S WAX	1 LB.	49c
CRACKERS	25c	CRACKERS	1 Lb.	SUNSHINE	Pkg
ARMOUR'S	69c	LARGE	FIG BARS	17c	Lb.
BACON	STEAK	LOIN	ROAST	52c	Pork Shoulder
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Farm Commodities Show Uneven Trend Over The Southwest Last Week

Farm prices followed uneven trends at Southwest markets last week, according to a report received by The Herald from the Production and Marketing Administration of the United States Department of Agriculture.

Corn prices fell 13 to 14 cents a bushel and other grains five to eight cents. Heavier marketings, less urgent demand and improved prospects for winter wheat helped push prices down. No. 1 hard wheat sold Friday at \$3.06 a bushel at Texas common points, No. 2 white corn around \$2.98 and oats were \$1.48 to \$1.53.

Most feed ingredients showed easier undertones in unsettled trade. Farmers sold surplus hay stocks at the highest rate since two years ago. Farmers' stock peanuts sold at support prices.

Spot cotton markets showed net gains of \$1.75 to \$2 for the week. Middle 15-16 inch closed Friday at 34.50 cents per pound at Dallas and Houston and 34.40 cents per pound at New Orleans.

Eggs weakened slightly at Denver and New Orleans during the week, but sold little higher at Dallas toward the close. Current receipts brought 42 to 45 cents a dozen at Dallas, mostly around 38 cents at Denver, and 45 cents at New Orleans. Light hens sold stronger at Dallas to bring 20 to 23 cents a pound and at Denver 16 to 22 cents.

Sheep sold steady to around a \$1 higher for the week. Denver set a new high of \$13 on good and choice ewes as Oklahoma City and Wichita reached \$12 on choice lots. San Antonio bought good ewes at \$12, while Fort Worth paid well to medium kinds from \$8.50 to \$10. Boston buyers in Texas took all available wools.

Cattle found a weaker market at Denver and steers showed some easiness at Wichita and San Antonio as other terminals paid steady to \$1 higher prices. Common and medium steers an yearlings brought \$17 to \$19 at Houston, while medium and good kinds turned at \$22.50 to \$26 at San Antonio and \$22 to \$28 at Fort Worth. Oklahoma City moved good and choice light steers and yearlings at \$28 to \$30. Wichita took good light steers at \$29.50 and Denver sold high good to \$30.

Texas and Oklahoma hog markets paid mostly steady to higher

prices compared to a week earlier, but the Wichita and Denver markets fell \$1 to \$1.50. San Antonio, Fort Worth and Oklahoma City closed the week at a top of \$27, as Wichita paid \$26.35 and Denver paid \$26.25. Sows closed generally at \$23 down, and pigs from \$12 to \$20.

Francis Nichols Graduates From School Of Nursing

Frances Nichols of Hamlin was among 10 nurses graduated from the Hendrick's Memorial Hospital School of Nursing in its spring exercises held last Friday at Abilene. A Herald reporter learned early this week.

Dr. Harold G. Cooke, president of McMurry College, Abilene delivered the graduating address and was introduced by E. M. Collier, hospital superintendent.

The nurses that graduated last Friday were members of the 21st session of the school. To date a total of 229 nurses have been graduated from the school.

Dr. Jack Estes, chairman of the medical staff of the hospital presented the diplomas. Mrs. Doris McCune, director of nursing at the hospital presented nursing pins to the graduates.

McCaulley Wins Over Girard For March Of Dimes Benefit Games

Although bad weather was present a large crowd turned out to see the basketball games last Wednesday night between McCaulley and Girard High School cagers.

These games were benefit of the McCaulley March of Dimes.

McCaulley five A team boys won by a score of 20 to 17 and the B team won a close one by a score of 10 to 9.

An official of the community reported that contributions for the games and contributions to date amounted to \$68.50. Their quota was set at \$37.50.

Girard team members after the game attended a party given by the George Dardens of McCaulley. Hot chocolate, coffee and cake were served to attendants.

REG'LAR FELLERS



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Albert Maberry Of Sylvester To Vet School Post At Roby

Albert Maberry of Sylvester and well-known around Hamlin was named last week as the Fisher County co-ordinator of the Veterans Vocational Schools.

Maberry succeeds Ammons also well-known. Ammons, people will recall took as superintendent of the Midwest Electric Cooperative Incorporated, with headquarters in Roby and serves Hamlin and Jones County.

As Fisher County co-ordinator Maberry will head activities of 12 veterans schools, which have a total enrollment of 265 students, including classes of agriculture, trades and industries and distributive education.

Early Morning Service For Youngsters Held Weekly By Baptists

A "singspiration" and devotional service is being held every Wednesday morning for young people in the basement of the Hamlin First Baptist Church.

Services are to last 25 minutes, from 8:30 o'clock a. m. to 8:55 o'clock p. m. Program consists of singing, memorizing of scripture and prayer.

A total of 22 young people were present Wednesday morning of this week and a very interesting service was held.

An invitation is extended to all young people to attend all of these services.

Jones County Agent To Head Judges At 4H-FFA Club Show

Announcement was made last week that H. C. Stanley Jr., Jones County's County Agent will be the judge of Jersey and hog divisions at the annual 4-H Club and FFA boys livestock show to be held in Roby March 2.

According to Luther J. Wilson, Fisher County Agent, the show will include 23 class showings in five show divisions this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Miles and family moved to Abilene Monday. They have been in Hamlin since 1934. Mr. Miles having served as Chief of Police in Hamlin for a number of years. He is now employed by the State Liquor Control Board with headquarters in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Howard King were in San Angelo Sunday to see Mr. King's father who is seriously ill in the Shannon hospital in that city.

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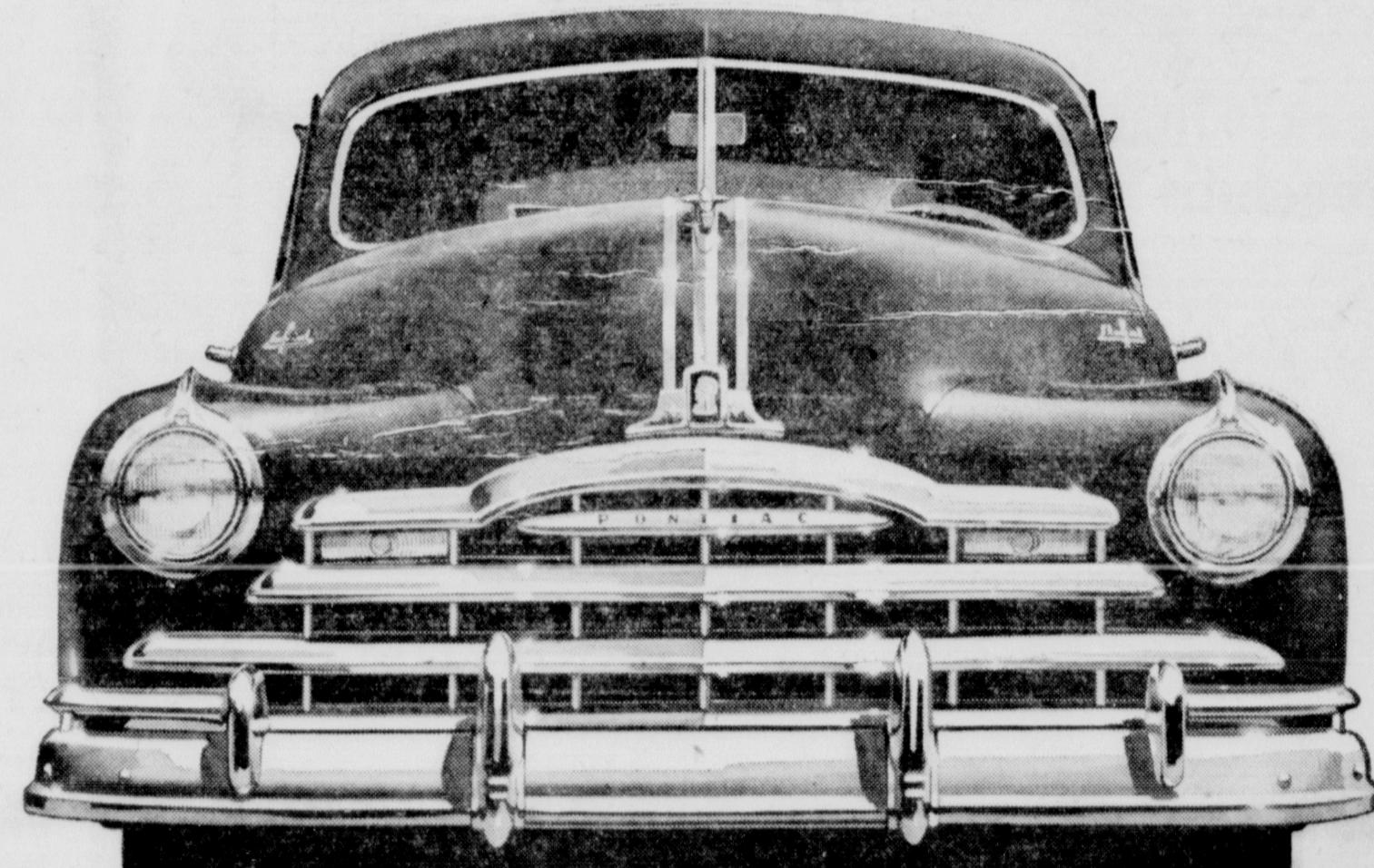
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**THE DEFENSE OF
SANTANTA**

An air of tenseness filled the courtroom as the State brought to close its case against Santanta and Big Tree.

The judge cleared his throat to give his charge to the jury and not a whisper was heard. Would he call for the death penalty?

The Indian Chiefs had admitted their guilt; in fact, they had even boasted of it. They had eluded the guards at their reservation in Fort Sill, Oklahoma and attacked a supply train near Jacksboro torturing and killing the guards.

But the question in the mind of the court, as well as the spectators, was whether severity would be the best course. Even Laurie Tatum, chief witness in convicting the prisoners, had not been in favor of hanging them.

"I'm afraid for the settlers along the border," he had explained. "For it's the Indians' nature to seek revenge."

This trial at Fort Richardson in Jacksboro was attracting far more than local interest and was proving to be one of the most sensational held in Texas. For the first time in American History Indians tried before a Civil Judge Seward knew that he might well set a precedent.

The judge weighed his acutely as he faced the tense courtroom on that warm 1871.

"defendant wish to speak in his own behalf?" he solemnly inquired of Chief Santanta. Slowly, arrogantly, arose Santanta, Chief of the Kiowas. "If you will let me go back to my people, I will withdraw my warriors from Tehanna," he said, speaking distinctly. "I will take them all across the Red River and that shall be the line between us and the palefaces. I will wash out the spots of blood and make it a white land, and there shall be peace; and the Tehannas may plow and drive their oxen to the banks of the river. But if you kill me it will be like a spark on the prairie... make big fire—burn heap!"

Thus ended Chief Santanta's plea for his life. Nevertheless Judge Seward asked for the death penalty should the jury find him guilty, and the jury gave the verdict of guilty in the first degree. This later modified to life imprisonment.

**Hamlin Cagers Win
Over Albany Five
By A Score Of 41-26**

Hamlin High School Pied Pipers last Friday ran circles over the Albany cager with a score of 41-26.

Hamlin's quintet B team also won over Albany 21-20 and in the C game Hamlin won 20-17.

G. C. Black of Hamlin was high scorer in the first game with 14 points. In the B game Hamlin's J. B. May was highpointer with 21 points.

Miss Virginia Brown is home from Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene.

Mrs. W. C. Hargrove is ill with the flu. Mrs. Hargrove is one of the operators at the Cactus Beauty Shop.

Mrs. W. F. Davidson of McCauley was a guest in the home of Mrs. Etta Stephenson last week and attended the Baptist Revival that was in progress.

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**Hamlin Still Tied
With Anson In 5-A
Cage Second Place**

Hamlin's Pied Pipers won one and lost one last week as did Anson therefore still tying Hamlin with the Anson cagers for second place in the Eastern Section of the 5-A cagers.

Hamlin lost to Anson by a score of 43 to 40. The locals were ahead at the half but failed to register very good to the close.

Hamlin's win was over Albany to the tune of 26 to 41. Fuller story on this game is in this week's issue of The Herald.

Standings in both Eastern and Western sections after last week's games looked like this up to the games to be played this week:

Eastern Division

Team	W.	L.	Pct.	Pts.	Opp.
Throckmorton	8	0	1.000	433	166
Anson	6	3	.667	334	370
Hamlin	6	3	.667	297	292
Rule	3	4	.429	203	222
Albany	2	6	.250	213	284
Haskell	2	6	.250	188	256
Stamford	1	6	.143	173	315

Western Division

Team	W.	L.	Pct.	Pts.	Opp.
Roscoe	6	0	1.000	269	170
Merkel	5	1	.833	299	181
Snyder	3	3	.500	240	194
Lorraine	3	3	.500	196	202
Roby	1	5	.167	181	236
Colorado City	0	6	.000	119	334

Eastern division results: Anson 43, Hamlin 40; Haskell 33, Stamford 18; Hamlin 41, Albany 26; Throckmorton 47, Anson 30.

Results of last week's games in the western division were: Snyder 34, Colorado City 20; Roscoe 35, Roby 20; Merkel 55, Lorraine 31.

Eastern section schedule: February 3—Rule at Haskell, Stamford at Anson, Throckmorton at Hamlin. February 5—Albany at Rule, Hamlin at Haskell, Stamford, at Throckmorton. February 6—Albany at Anson, Haskell at Throckmorton, and Stamford at Rule.

Games scheduled this week in the western section: February 3—Roby at Snyder, Colorado City at Lorraine, Roscoe at Merkel. February 6—Lorraine at Snyder, Merkel at Roby, Colorado City at Roscoe.

THIS TROPHY—known as the

Livestock Marketing Association

Trophy, will be one of the highly valued prizes that can be won by Hamlin or other entrants who

shows the champion steer in the Boys' Steer Class at the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth January 30 through February 8. The trophy will be represented by the Texas Livestock Marketing Association and all boys who have

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Mr. and Mrs. MORTL Books and May Gay visited in Sweetwater Sunday.

Mrs. Earnest Hudson of Corpus Christi spent the week-end with Bernice Graham.

inoculate your seed before planting. The Nitragin bacteria container will tell whether it is for habum clover or some other kind of legume. The container is also dated and the date should be checked to see that the bacteria is still good. After properly inoculating the clover seed, they should be planted at the rate of five pounds to the acre in three foot rows. The seed bed should be firm and the seed not planted over 1-2 inch deep.

Other Jones County farmers planting habum clover last year were: Earl Scott, Sinclair; Hoke Propst, Sinclair; Gene Sosebee, Anson and Hiram Olson, Avoca.

Now is the time to plant habum clover according to the County Agent H. C. Stanley Jr. Clover should be planted around February 15 to March 1 for best results.

If you plan to plant habum clover, by all means get the proper strain of nitrogen bacteria and thoroughly

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Political Office Announcements

The Herald is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, election to be subject to action of the Democratic Primary Saturday, July 24:

For District Clerk: LEON THURMAN

For Tax-Assessor-Collector: ELZY BENNETT

For County Attorney: GEORGE P. HUDSON CHAS. E. BROWNFIELD JR.

For County Clerk: H. O. (Herb) ROWLAND JR.

For Sheriff: BILL DUNDOWY

For County Commissioner Precinct No. 1: ROY C. BROWN

RATES FOR ANNOUNCEMENT IN THIS COLUMN:	
District Offices	\$20.00
County Offices	\$12.50
County Commissioner	\$10.00
Justice of the Peace and Constable	\$7.50

Stamford Man to Seek Election As Jnes County Attorney

Charles E. Brownfield Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Brownfield of Stamford, has announced his candidacy for the office of County Attorney of Jones County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries. At the present, Charles is a senior in the University of Texas Law School, Austin.

Mr. Brownfield's formal announcement will appear in an early issue of The Herald.

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Bill Dunwody Asks Relection To Sheriff's Office of County



Herb Rowland Seeks Election To Office of County Clerk

Before asking for re-election to the office of County Clerk of Jones County, I would first like to take this opportunity to sincerely thank all of you for the support given me in the last election, and I hope that I have shown this appreciation by serving you efficiently and courteously.

In asking for re-election, I would like to give you a brief survey of the operations of the Clerk's office for the past year.

Upon my request, the Commissioner's Court purchased photostatic equipment for use in recording all instruments and thereby eliminating the necessity of typing and proof-reading each instrument filed for record. Consequently, the cost of operating the office decreased due to the elimination of typists. Also the possibilities of errors were eliminated inasmuch as the records are now exact pictures of the instruments and the human element is not involved in the actual recording. The prints are made and developed within the clerk's office. This is the same system found in most of the larger counties as well as State governments. Cost of the equipment was approximately \$1,800 and the clerk's office for the past year showed net amount of \$1,752. This equipment can help me give seven to 10 day service regardless of the number of instruments filed.

The sheriff's office has not been a sideline for me and I have not given any of my time and thought to any sideline. My whole life and thought has been to make you as good a sheriff as it possible for me to do.

Thanking you again for your past support and wonderful cooperation and earnestly soliciting your support in the coming primary, I am yours to serve—Bill Dunwody.

P. S.—Remember it never gets too cold or the weather too bad for me to be at your service.

Leon Thurman Asks Reelection Of District Clerk

To The Citizens Of Jones County:

In announcing for the office of District Clerk of Jones County, I wish first to express my thanks and appreciation for the splendid cooperation which I have received from the citizens of this County during my tenure in office. With your cooperation, no term of office could be successful.

I have served you to the best of my ability and if you reelect me to this office I shall continue to do so.

Realizing it is almost an impossibility to contact personally each voter of this County, I trust that those whom I do not see personally will accept this announcement as a personal solicitation of your votes and influence in the coming election.—Leon Thurman.

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Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Carpenter and Virgil Burt of Paducah were weekend guests in the Dan Branscum home.

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ELECTION NOTICE

PURSUANT TO AN ORDER, issued by Holly Toler, Mayor of the City of Hamlin, Jones County, Tex., on the 2nd day of February, 1948, notice is hereby given that a City Election will be held on the 6th day of April A. D. 1948, at the City Hall in the City of Hamlin, Texas, for the following purpose, viz:

The election of a Mayor and three aldermen for the City Council of the City of Hamlin, Jones County, Texas.

Signed: Holly Toler, Mayor, City of Hamlin, Texas. 14-4c

Geo. P. Hudson Announces For Office Of County Attorney

In announcing for the office of County Attorney of Jones County, Texas, I wish first to express my thanks and appreciation for the splendid vote you have given me in the past and for the cooperation which I have received from the citizens while in office, without which no officer can successfully carry on the duties of his office.

It has always been and always shall be my desire to serve you honestly and to the best of my ability. I am sure I have made mistakes, but if reelected I will attempt to serve you better in the future by use of knowledge and experience gained in the past.

I earnestly solicit your vote and influence in the coming election and between now and then I will attempt to contact each citizen of the County personally in regard to my candidacy.—George P. Hudson.

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FOR SALE—1942 Oldsmobile 66, four door sedan, radio and heater; very clean.—Banded Motor Company, Stamford, Texas, phone 56. 12-tfc

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Mrs. Grover C. Carter and daughter, Mary, returned Monday after being in Wellington, Kansas for the week-end and for the wedding of the son and brother, Walter Carter, of Wellington to Miss Terry Crates, also of Wellington. Mrs. Carter runs Euell's Dress Shop here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Britton, Lavern Weekly and Valerie Hudson visited in Abilene Sunday.

Orville Cunningham of Dickens visited Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Forgy Tuesday.

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CURRENT COMMENT

Editor's Note—Expressions or opinions contained in this column are those of the writer and do not necessarily reflect the opinions or policies of the Herald. Current Comment is merely carried as a feature column.

By LEON GUINN

After considering news leaks from Washington, there is no doubt but that power to clamp ceiling on both scarce commodities and any products from them will be vested in the allocation board Truman's present plan. . . . The legal means of such a set-up are still vague. . . . Ceilings, to be sure, will not be lower than present and it can also be said the administration is thinking of rolling prices back. . . . Extension of controls and some type of damper on exports will be asked by Truman and probably granted. There are hints in the wind that Congress may move also to regulate freight, car use, control of milling, laws to curb exchange speculation, and over livestock marketing and feeding.

There is every reason to believe Luckman's voluntary saving campaign will continue regardless of the outcome of Truman's effort to get involuntary authority. . . . The committee will concentrate on consumers, and it is interesting to note that agents worked out with distillers and bakers will remain if legislation affecting these interests is affected. . . . Timing, by the way, of tax bills as yet up in the air. . . . Truman has given in to his relents in his opposition to tax reduc-

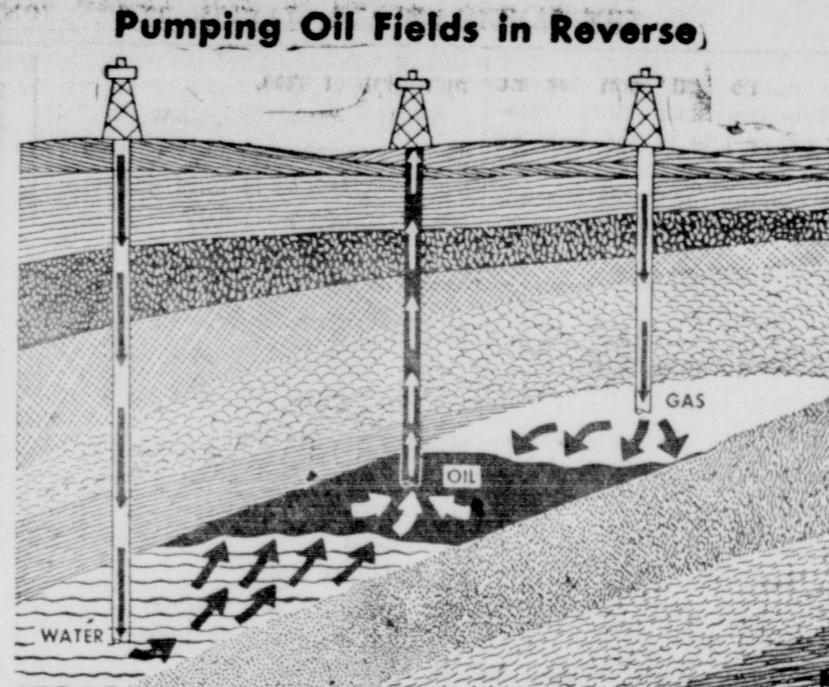
tion, and to put it frankly, holding taxes at their present level will be one of the points stressed in control of inflation. . . . There is small reason to doubt the statement that the first year of European rehabilitation will cost around \$5,000,000,000—excluding the stop-gap funds now in the mill.

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Universal military training, which has been the subject of much controversy, is certain to come up for immediate consideration during the special session of Congress. . . . It appears now to have a better than even chance of being enacted. . . . A bill to increase veteran subsistence allowances also stands a good chance of approval. . . . A tip worth watching is that one of the biggest fights during the Congressional "huddle" will be over an administration bill to let down immigration bars to admit some 400,000 displaced European persons to the United States. . . . Already, a public campaign for the measure is well underway.

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While one farm may not sound very important, Ray Yarnell, editor of Capper's Farmer, suggests that farmers of this area and the nation can save millions of bushels of grain by ridding all farms of rats. . . . It is estimated there are more than 50,000 rats on farms of the United States at this moment. . . . A rat, under ordinary circumstances, will eat 50 pounds of grain each year if he can get it. . . . He will spoil much more, and the only way one can stop such a loss is to kill the rodents and rat-proof grain storage facilities. . . . In saving grain (because we do not yet know how rugged the road will be ahead), suggestions are made that less grain can be fed to livestock (by checking with the county agent on proper rations) and this winter and next spring every fire hazard should be removed from places where grain, or any kind of feed, is stored.



PITTSBURGH, PA.—By pumping water and natural gas into the depths of the oil fields, modern science is bringing 10 to 50 per cent more oil to the surface. This typical cross section shows one way it's done. Here gas is pumped in above the oil pool, and water underneath it. These artificial pressures, from above and below, force the oil to flow thru the sand or rock in which it is imbedded and up the well shafts. Sketch is based on an explanation by Gulf Oil.

Life in Hollywood.

A Hollywood producer received a story entitled "The Optimist." He called his staff together and said: "Gentlemen, this title must be changed to something simpler. We are intelligent and know what an optimist is, but how many of those morons who'll see the picture will know he's an eye doctor?"

That Powerful Digit.

Mama—"I see where a woman was awarded \$2,000 for the loss of a thumb. I didn't realize a thumb was that valuable."

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A sports writer declares that the fans can always remember the dumb plays but soon forget the star performers. Sort of like printing a newspaper, muses an editor.

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New Yellow Stripes on Highways of Texas Warn of Danger in Passing

Officials of the Texas Highway Department this week were telling the story about the bright yellow lines now being seen by motorists every day throughout the vast 27,000-mile system of paved highways of Texas.

In a release to The Herald, State Highway Engineer D. C. Green declared: "The new yellow no-passing line is being put down on our highways as a double indemnity device.

"It gives a flashy and obvious warning of danger to the motorist who wants to protect his own life and lives of others," he explained, "and it gives the police something definite on which to jail or punish the driver who apparently cares little for his life and thereby endangers the lives of innocent motorists in the other lane."

Last year President Truman's Highway Safety Conference urged the states to concentrate on improvement of highway center stripe in a major attempt to reduce the ghastly toll of accidents due to

head-on collisions and sideswiping. In all other states the color was changed to yellow, which tests have shown is more visible in all kinds of weather than any other type of marking. This yellow color is used also to impress the motorist that where yellow is seen on the road it must not be crossed.

Sixty-five thousand gallons of yellow paint are being used by the Texas Highway Department's painting crews to mark these no-passing zones. The painting operations have been underway since November and are now moving rapidly toward completion.

Highway Department officials pointed out in the release to The Herald that the state-wide yellow striping program for no-passing zones is considered the best method from the engineering point of view for temporarily combatting the traffic accident menace on the highway system.

The new uniform traffic code The officials are hopeful that the

traveling public will soon become "yellow line conscious" since crossing the yellow line is not only an invitation for loss of life and limb, but is a violation of Texas law unmaking violators liable for maxi-

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Peas Sugar Belle Sweet Peas	No. 2 Can	18¢
Tomatoes Gordenside Standard	2 No. 2 Cans	25¢
Limas Eastern Shore Green and White	No. 2 Can	23¢
Plain Chili Delgados	No. 1 1/2 Can	31¢
Tamales Delgados	17 1/2 Oz. Can	19¢
Potted Meat Armour	2 No. 1/4 Cans	15¢
Salmon Prince Leo Pink	1-Lb. Can	47¢
Sardines Palm Oil	2 No. 1/4 Cans	25¢
Gerbers Strained or Chopped Meats	2 Reg. Cans	37¢
Tomato Soup Heinz	11-Oz. Can	10¢
Pickles American Whole Dill	22-Oz. Jar	23¢
Peanut Butter Real Roast	16-Oz. Jar	29¢
Pop Corn Blue Diamond	1-Lb. Pkg.	17¢
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Flour Sustanna Pancake Mix	20-Oz. Pkg. 15¢	Duz Soap Granulated Lge. Pkg.	37¢
Marmalade Welch's Orange	16-Oz. Jar 19¢	Super Suds Lge. Pkg.	37¢
Margarine Blue Bonnet	1-Lb. Pkg. 41¢	Dreft Washing Powder Lge. Pkg.	33¢
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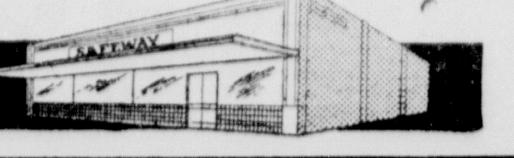
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Cigarettes Popular Brands	Ctn.	1.65
Jell-O Gelatin Assorted	2 Reg. Pkgs.	15¢
Shortening Swift Jewel	3 Lbs. Pkg.	\$1.17
Crackers Sunshine Cocktail	6 1/2-Oz. Pkg.	15¢
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HAMLIN, TEXAS

Burleson Challenged By New York Negro

Congressman Omar Burleson of Jones County was challenged last Friday by Benjamin Davis, a New York negro and acting secretary of the Communist Party, according to Washington correspondent to the Biltmore Reporter-News.

The negro questioned the legal right of a Texan to sit in Congress because poll taxes were required in the state.

A heated tirade against Burleson came during a hearing on whether the Congress should oust the Communist Party.

Right away Burleson began questioning the negro, the latter replying with volleys to the effect that Burleson had no right to question him, because that did not respect rights of minorities.

The Congressman began by asking the negro if the Constitution of the Third International drafted in 1938 did not advocate the overthrow of the United States and all other governments.

Davis replied that Burleson was from a poll tax state and that he therefore did not think that Burleson was present as a Congressman really. He also added that Burleson was also from a state that believed in lynchings.

Davis apparently was thoroughly familiar with Burleson's record as he called him by name and showed knowledge of current happenings.

The negro then accused Burleson of "being in the same class with Rankin," referring to Representative John Rankin of Mississippi.

Questions asked by Burleson included the following which brought forth the same comment from Davis:

"Isn't it true that the Communist Party in cities has local programs but that its overall purpose is to foment trouble, racial strife, strikes and confusion?"

"Doesn't the party try to become active in youth organizations and stir up unrest among Mexicans, negroes and eastern people?"

Burleson who had served in the Naval Intelligence during the war, commented that his experience on the West Coast during the war led him to see such methods used there by Communists.

Davis was asked by Burleson if he would approve the present bill if the word "Fascist" was substituted for "Communist." Davis said he would not.

Mrs. Eva Golden, underwent surgery again Monday in a hospital in

The Scout Citizen at Work

IN HIS HOME
IN HIS COMMUNITY
IN HIS NATION
IN HIS WORLD

Thirty-Eighth Anniversary

BOY SCOUT WEEK
FEBRUARY 6TH TO 12TH

More than 2,000,000 members of the Boy Scouts of America will observe Boy Scout Week, Feb. 6th to 12th, marking the 38th anniversary of the organization. This year Boy Scouts are emphasizing conservation of food and natural resources, planting gardens, safety and fire prevention, home repairs and personal health checkups. Scouting promotes world peace through World Jamborees and practical help among 42 nations with 4,499,780 members. Through its World Friendship Fund of voluntary gifts the Boy Scouts of America helps Scouts overseas to rebuild their units. So far, more than 3,000 tons of equipment have been shipped. Above is the official poster marking the Scout birthday.

Must Have Been a Toughie.

Novice (at bridge party)—"You're an expert at bridge, Mr. Jones. How would you have played that last hand of mine?"

Mr. Jones—"Under an assumed name."

THREE-ROOM furnished apartment, utilities, hot and cold water, one block from stores, postoffice, depot, shops near high school, fine community.—Shanks Apartments, Clyde, Texas, phone 74. 14-2p

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Huling and son, George, visited her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Barrington, in Odessa Sunday.

Mrs. Robert Cary and baby also her little daughter, Sharon, are sick with the flu this week.

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On Valentine's Day, show some affection
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Is your car a new "sweetheart" or a steady "old beau?"

It makes no difference which, if you're in "the know."

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Treat your good friend to a thorough "Oil-Plate."

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FARM FACTS
WORTH
KNOWING

Gender Makes the Name.

Mary—"Mr. Smith is an efficient expert in our office."

Jane—"What does an efficiency expert do?"

Mary—"Well, if we girls did it, they'd call it nagging."

are ready to be shipped, usually at six months of age. This is the practice at the research farm of a famous feed concern, and it has the distinct advantage of increasing accuracy of selection. Gilts frequently change considerably in appearance from weaning to six months of age, and the breeder should try to make sure that the gilt he places in the breeding herd will be capable of producing "market toppers."

1.—Select the best pure-bred bull they can afford of the breed they prefer and continue to use bulls of the same breed in successive generations.

2.—Select heifers for replacement from the highest producing cows.

3.—Select heifers from the "typiest" cows. There is demonstrated evidence to indicate that desirable body conformation and high production do go together.

4.—Stick to one breed rather than cross-breed indiscriminately. Mixed breeding means mixing good and bad inheritance. This retards permanent improvement.

Q.—At what age should gilts be selected for brood sows?

A.—It is good management practice to leave all the gilts in the fattening pen until the market pigs

Q.—At what age are angora rabbits ready for shearing, and how

Five Times More Cotton.

Lee Colvin of Lafayette County has multiplied his cotton yield by five on a 24-acre field by planting and turning under crops of Austrian winter peas for four successive years.—Arkansas Extension Service.

often are mature rabbits sheared?

A.—Rabbits are sheared or plucked when their wool is between two and one-half and three inches long, and young rabbits are about two and one-half to three months of age before their wool is of the desired length. Mature rabbits are usually sheared every 10 or 12 weeks.

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Nights at
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WHEN TO FILE—As soon as possible after January 1, 1948.

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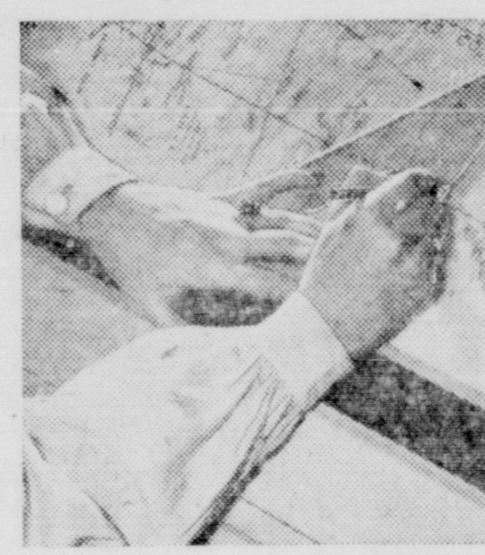
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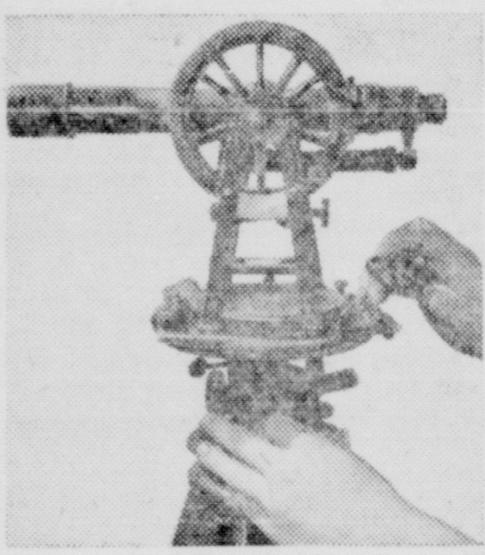
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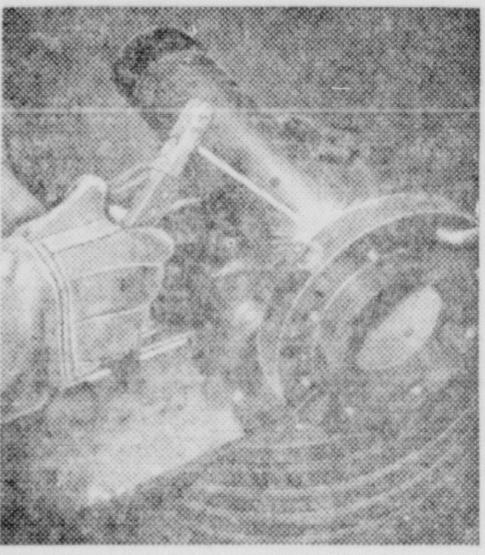
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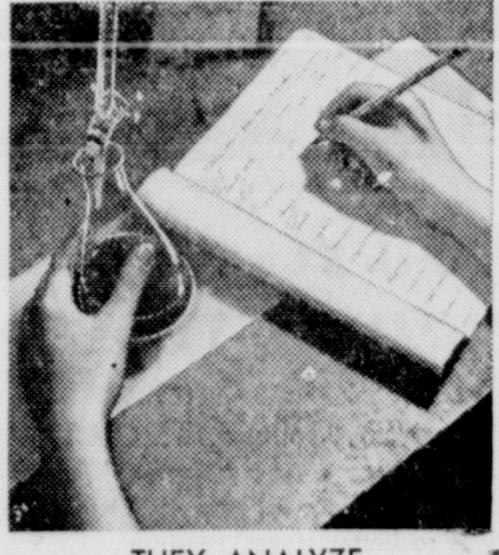
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dressing room was robbed of their money and jewelry at the Roby tournament last week-end.

Neely Morton, democratic chairman of Fisher County, may announce for district clerk soon.

Five persons were in a hospital at Rotan Sunday as a result of a car wreck at Roby last Saturday night. None seriously we think, but possibly one or two with broken bones. One was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Shelly now of Rotan but formerly of this community. Another daughter of the Shelly's was recently killed in Alabama in a car wreck.

While visiting the sick at a Rotan hospital last Sunday we found that Mrs. John Crowley, Mrs. O. R. Lee and Ed Mason were improving. Mrs. Lee is expected home this week.

We saw some mighty fine basketball games at the all-girl tournament at Roby last week-end. A total of 16 teams were entered so we hear, but Colorado City and Merkel failed to show up therefore, Roby, the host town, only had to play one game to go into the finals with Jayton. Jayton won the tournament by playing some of the best basketball seen in these parts this season. The McCaulley girls played two hard fought games Thursday and Friday and defeated Snyder and Trent, then on Saturday our girls played Roby and was defeated.

We hear a lot about "leading citizens", our definition of such a citizen is one that puts forth every effort for his community, one who gives to every worthy cause without flinching and who helps his neighbor, sick and afflicted. There are many such citizens in our community who are sincerely appreciated.

Mrs. W. M. Keller has returned from a Rotan hospital and glad to report that she is improving.

Mrs. Jap Kemp is undergoing treatments at a hospital in Rotan.

Wheat pastures in this area of the country are not according much pasture thus far, perhaps due to the cold weather and not enough rain.

Jayton girls basketball teams

Jones County
NFLA Among Top
Twenty Of State

Jones County's National Farm Loan Association with headquarters at Anson has again ranked in the "high 20" in the State, for new loans closed during the calendar year of 1947 according to a letter recently received by Joe Bresl, secretary-treasurer of the Jones County National Farm Loan Association by Steve C. Clegg, president of the Federal Land Bank of Houston.

To date since the high ranking 20 for 1947, a Wright was given to the number of loans closed, the net volume of new money loaned and the relationship of the number of loans closed to the number of farms in each association's operating territory.

This organization Jones County people will recall makes and services low term, low rate Federal Land Bank loans on farms and

ranches in the County. It is one of 143 associations over the State.

Breed pointed out that, "Our association has an evaluable record 1947, for in addition to being in the 'high 20' in new business for the year, it also finished the year without a single delinquent or past due item." He also stated that this record is a high tribute to the farmers and ranchers of the area.

As a result of the record attained in new business written, Breed has been awarded a trip to Houston with expenses paid and is to be a guest of the Federal Land Bank of Houston on the occasion of its annual stockholder's meeting on February 17 and 18.

Joe Culbertson, vice-president of the association, will also attend the stockholder's meeting at Houston a representative of the association reported.

Other directors to attend from Hamlin include L. H. McBride.

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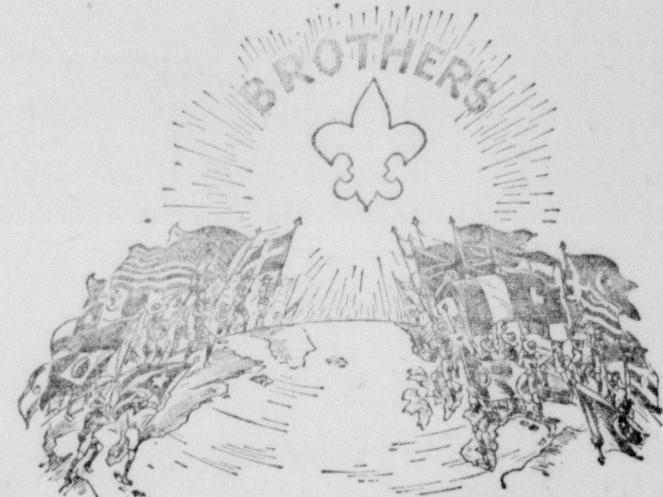
That's Different.
Once when a committee called on John Jacob Astor for a subscription for a worthy charity, Astor gave \$50. One of the committee members remarked:

"But Mr. Astor, you son, William, gave us \$100!"

"Yes," said the old man, "but you

must remember that William's rich father."

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Young daughters, Naome Ruth and Luba Lou and Miss Louise Probst visited Mr. and Mrs. Turner Ramm in Sweetwater Sunday.



FOR A

BETTER WORLD

Should you ever visit a nation abroad—a democratic nation—you will discover Boy Scouts. Likely as not, they will be doing something useful in the field of service to others—the daily "Good Turn," for example and "learning by doing," vital to themselves, their nation and the world.

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The Boy Scouts of America has a membership now of more than 2,000,000 boys and men. Since its founding, thirty-eight years ago this month, it has influenced more than 14,000,000—10% of America's present population.

Because of Scouting's Service, this is a better America and a better world. Let us have more Scouting locally. The way is open to all of us by supporting our Boy Scout Council.

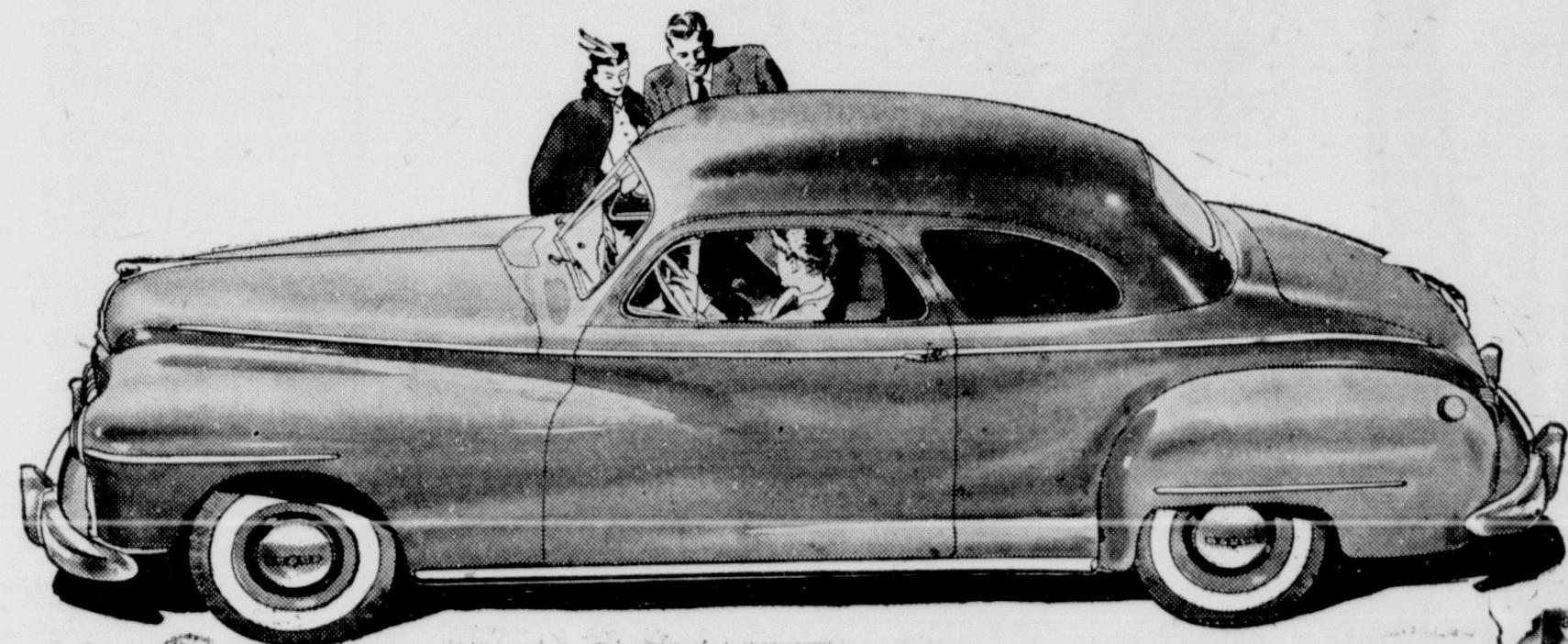
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